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AMERICAN NEWS.

Opium in Salmon Barrels Seized at 'Fr'isco—A U. S. Cruiser Launched.

General Eight-hour Strike Impending — Absconded With Two Million Dollars.

Mine Owner Missing.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—W. B. Britton, of San Francisco, has asked the Central Office police to make a search of the city for Charles Gill, of South Africa, who mysteriously vanished from a cheap hotel on West street near Menton. Gill is a wealthy mine owner, and at the time of his disappearance is said to have had $100,000 in his possession. The police think Gill may have gone to Philadelphia, where his relatives are living. The missing man, who is 58 years old, is a cripple and uses crutches.

The Union Pacific.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—A Boston special says: Director F. T. Ames returned from a trip on the Union Pacific road more than satisfied with the condition and prospects of that property. It is understood the road's earnings for October are the largest in the company's history, while the rolling stock and road-bed, Mr. Ames believes, are in a condition never before surpassed.

Eight-Hour Strike Impending.

BOSTON, Nov. 5.—Immediately upon the close of the campaign the Socialist Labor party will begin an energetic eight-hour action. The leaders of the party state that they have followers in every Trades Union and Assembly of Knights of Labor in the state, and their men are expected to work up the largest eight-hour movement that people could have imagined. Every effort will be made to bring about a great eight-hour strike on May 1.

Two Millions to the Bad.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5. — Edward Goller, head of the Clearing House, has absconded with two millions.

More Opium Seized.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.—Customs inspectors yesterday made a second seizure of contraband opium on the steamer Oregon, 1,000 five-teal tins of the drug being found concealed in a barrel of salmon. The value of the opium seized on the steamer Wednesday and to-day aggregates $27,000.

Another, this making the third valuable seizure of opium of the week was made this morning by Customs Inspectors while examining a number of barrels of salmon on the dock of the Oceanic Co. 600 tins of the drug were brought to light and confiscated. The seizure is valued at $5,000.

Cruiser No. Six.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.—At 11:25 this morning, the fourth vessel built for the Government by the Union Iron Works of this city, and known as "Cruiser No. Six," was successfully launched in the presence of prominent navy and army officers and an immense crowd which thronged the banks. The cruiser, which was christened the Olympia, after the capital of the State of Washington, is over 5,000 tons displacement—larger than either the Charleston or the San Francisco. She was constructed by the same firm, and when completed will cost $1,800,000.

Outbreak at Homestead.

HOMESTEAD, Nov. 5.—The first outbreak for this week occurred yesterday afternoon. Two negro coke workers were insulted by small boys and finally threatened them. The boys' mother standing near by set up a scream and a crowd collecting pelted the negroes with bricks and stones. They fled in terror and got inside the mill in time to save their lives.

Negro Lynching Threatened.

CULHEART, Ga., Nov. 5.—Doc and Howard Taylor, prominent negro farmers, lived together and were unmarried. It has just been discovered that they quarrelled a few days ago and that Doc killed his brother and tried to burn the body. It did not burn fast enough and he buried the unburned fragments. The negroes are greatly excited over the discovery and threaten to lynch him.

No Satisfaction for Iams.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 5.—The jury in the Iams case came in at 11.15 this morning with a verdict of acquittal for officers Hawkins and Streator, who are charged with assault in tying up Iams by the thumbs during the Homestead troubles.

Lumber in Australia.

TACOMA, Nov. 5.—(Special.)—Advices received by the Puget Sound Lumberman from Australia are to the effect that the proposed duty of $6.25 on American lumber, now before Parliament, will in all probability not go through. It was alleged that the proposed duty was to be a retaliatory measure against the McKinley bill, but it is now claimed that the move was fathered by Australian timber brokers, who, having large stocks of timber on hand, hoped to realize heavily on the advance in prices sure to accrue from the passing of the act.

U. S. Thanksgiving Day.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The following proclamation was issued yesterday afternoon: The gifts of God to our people during the past year have been so abundant and so special that a spirit of devout thanksgiving awaits not the call, but only the appointment of the day when we may have a common expression. He has stayed the pestilence at our doors; He has given us more love for the free institutions in the creation of which His directing providence is so conspicuous; He has awakened deeper reverence for the laws; He has widened our philanthropy by the call to succor distress in other lands; He has blessed our schools and is bringing forward a patriotic and God-fearing generation to execute His great and benevolent designs for our country. He has given to us a great increase in material wealth and wide diffusion of contentment and comfort in the homes of our people; He has given His grace to the sorrowing. Therefore, I, Benjamin Harrison, president of the United States, do call upon all of our people to observe, as has been their wont, Thursday, the 24th day of this month of November, as a day of thanksgiving to God for His mercies and supplication for His continued care and grace.

Official Notification.

WASHINGTON CITY, Nov. 5.—The Department of State has received official notice that the Gilbert Islands, lying in the Pacific Ocean under the equator, have been placed under the protection of Great Britain.

"The Forty Thieves."

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—The American Extravaganza Co., 126 people, who are producing "Ali Baba, or The Forty Thieves," under the management of David Henderson, left to-night by special train for San Francisco.

Outlaw Shot.

TALEQUAH, I. T., Nov. 5.—Ned Christy, the noted outlaw for whom the officers have been searching for some time, was finally killed yesterday. A posse of U.S. deputy marshals, headed by Dick Bruce, surrounded his cabin, and when one of Christy's companions came out he was summoned to surrender, but replied with a shot from a Winchester, and his companions in the house also fired a volley. Then began a battle which lasted all day without damage on either side. In the evening, the officers resorted to dynamite, and succeeded in blowing down a part of the cabin and setting fire to the remainder. While the blaze was at its height Christy tried to escape, and failing to halt when ordered to, was brought to the ground riddled with bullets. Charley Harris, a companion, gave himself up. The body of Charley Wolff, who was wounded in the morning, was burned to a crisp in the cabin. The females of the family had been allowed to retreat at the beginning of the fight.

Out of the Ashes.

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 4.—Isidore Weinberg, who was acquitted on Wednesday of the charge of arson, is now seeking insurance money from the Phœnix Insurance Company, of Brooklyn, and the London Assurance Co. Two quarts of ashes of the burned clothing were found, and now comes the question how much clothing does it represent. Weinberg declares it amounts to a little over $1,600, which is the sum of the insurance.

In an Alleged Trance.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Nov. 5.—The jury in the Livernash case, after being out over 30 hours, failed to agree and was discharged. They stood eight for conviction and four for acquittal. Edward Livernash, a young newspaper editor, formerly of Healdsburg, and son-in-law of Judge Overton, a wealthy resident of Sonoma county, was arrested for the attempted murder, October 29, 1891, of Darius Ethridge, of Cloverdale. During the trial which has just closed, the testimony taken tended to show that Livernash displayed considerable mental aberration at times and raised a doubt of his sanity. The feature of the trial was the use of hypnotism on the defendant and the taking of his testimony while in an alleged trance.

Town Almost Destroyed.

RAWLING, N.Y., Nov. 5.—A fire was discovered early to-day in a butcher's ship. Before it could be extinguished almost the entire business part of the town was destroyed.

$250,000 Loss in Brooklyn.

BROOKLYN, N.Y., Nov. 5.—A fire started this evening in Hobb's paper factory, on the corner of Irving place and Columbia street, in a five-story brick building, which was totally destroyed. From there the fire spread to Tiffany place, thence to Hicks street, and finally to Columbia street, where it first started, causing a total loss of $250,000.

Mail Changes.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5. — General Supt. White, of the mail service, to-day announced that the exchange of inner registered sacks between Spokane, Washington, and Cœur d' Alene, Sherman and Post Falls, Idaho, will be discontinued on Nov. 15 next.

Betting on the Elections.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—The betting on the outcome of the voting on Tuesday is becoming brisker. To-day, Frank Shaw, a well-known sporting man of St. Paul, bet $1,500 to $1,200 on Cleveland carrying New York State. $10,000 is floating around the Palmer House to be laid on Harrison. Bets of $50 to $25 are made on the Democrats carrying Indiana and returning Altgeld as Governor of Illinois.

Constable Shot.

WEAVERVILLE, Cala., Nov. 5.—Walter Martin, of Big Bar, in this county, shot and killed P. C. Terry, of Astoria, Siskiyou County, who was taking Martin back to Siskiyou on a charge of burglary. Martin is about 18 years old.

Hotel Burned.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Nov. 5.—The Stewart hotel, one of the finest in the city, was destroyed by fire early this morning.

THE PRESIDENCY.

Predictions as to the Outcome—Political Faith Backed Up with Money.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Chairman Harrity to-day gave out the final predictions of the Democratic National committee. He claims for the Democratic ticket the solid South, New York, Indiana, New Jersey, Wisconsin and Michigan, with Connecticut doubtful. The Republican managers claim 277 electoral votes for Harrison. Chairman Hackett of the Republican State committee says Harrison will come down to the city line with 90,000 majority. The betting to-day is 2 to 1 that Cleveland will carry New York, and even money is given and taken on the general result.

Utterly Demoralized.

The wind storms on the Mainland so seriously interfered with the wires as to render it impossible for the COLONIST to supply its readers with the usual amount of telegraphic news. What was received was obtained only at long intervals, a protracted—almost a full-stop occurring in the middle of a word.

CABLE LETTER.

Home Rule for Scotland—The Wreck of the Roumania—Tremendous Strike Inevitable.

Kaiser Wilhelm Celebrating the Reformation—What Was Done at Wittenberg.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—All efforts to bring about a settlement of the threatened strike in the cotton manufacturing industry have failed. Thirty mills at Ashton-under-Lyne closed to-day and the crisis is on. A general strike of operatives opens this afternoon unless something unforeseen happens. It inaugurated it will last several months. What promises to be the greatest strike in all history, growing out of the Lancashire trade troubles, is now apparently inevitable. Between this and the 8th inst. between 50,000 and 60,000 operatives will leave their looms and 16,000,000 or 17,000,000 spindles will become quiet. The manufacturers insist on a five per cent. reduction in wages. The operatives admit the market is so unfavorable that their employes are in some difficulty and they offer to submit to some reduction in hours and corresponding reduction in pay. They will not accept less money for the present services.

Never was a battle so carefully prepared for and so thoroughly equipped on both sides. The operatives have the strongest and wealthiest organization in the world. Their resources are so great that they can remain idle several weeks without actual want. For the first time in England the employees are all in a compact, well-disciplined body, holding the control of half of the spindles in the whole cotton trade. They really gain strength from a certain term of non-production, so the struggle in its present outlook has no terrors for them. The battle will probably be a bloodless one for a long time. At least the operatives are intelligent; they have shown no bitterness in the dispute.

In most of the cities and towns which are affected, the cotton mills furnish almost the sole industry. There will be a clear field for a great well balanced campaign, which cannot fail to command the attention of the world. The Pall Mall Gazette says there is no doubt that the heavy tariff duty on cotton goods abroad is at the bottom of the difficulty.

HOME RULE FOR SCOTLAND.

A deputation from the Scottish Home Rule Association waited on Sir O. Trevelyan, Secretary for Scotland, and claimed that the question of Scottish Home Rule should have attention simultaneously with or directly after that for Ireland. He declined to make a definite promise regarding the course of the Government, though he showed that he was in sympathy with the object of the deputation.

WRECK OF THE ROUMANIA.

The Times' correspondent at Lisbon says, regarding the wreck of the Roumania: "The watch below was asleep at the time. They were washed overboard as they came on deck. While in the water the Lascars who were saved saw the Captain on the bridge giving orders. Every one on deck at the time was washed overboard. The women remained in the cabin. The Lascars think that many passengers were killed by the rails breaking loose."

QUEEN VICTORIA.

The Queen, it is understood, has no intention of leaving England during the winter. She will probably go to the continent toward the end of March, but nothing has yet been arranged as to her destination, as everything must depend upon the sanitary state of the continent. If cholera still prevails in any part of Europe, the Queen will pass April at Osborne. The Quen's own wish is to pay another visit to Florence. If she goes there, she will afterward proceed to Venice for a few days, and return home through Germany. The Queen is to leave Balmoral for Windsor, according to present arrangements, on November 18, and the court will proceed to Osborne about December 20 for a stay of nine weeks. The Queen has been in excellent health during her residence at Balmoral. Countess Feodore Gleichen, who has succeeded to the studio in St. James' palace of her father, Prince Victor of Hohenlohe, whose talents as a sculptor she inherited, is now engaged on a life-size statue of the Queen, which is to be placed in the Victoria Jubilee hospital in Montreal. The statue is being executed for Lord Mount Stephen and Sir Donald Smith.

WILHELM AT WITTENBERG.

The Kaiser's visit to Wittenberg at the beginning of the week was an event of more than ordinary significance politically and from a religious point of view. The old town of pointed gables, quaint towers and narrow streets presented a unique aspect. Everywhere bright banners and floral festoons were seen, and the whole town bore a holiday appearance. The Schloss Kirche, the central point of the fete, was commenced in 1439 and finished in 1499. In 1760 it was seriously injured by bombardment and suffered in the same manner in 1813-14. It was first restored in 1814-17, and now, owing to Emperor William's generosity, it has been again restored. On the north side were the wooden doors to which Luther affixed his theses. These doors were burned in 1760, but were replaced in 1858 by metal doors 10 feet in height. They were presented by Frederick William IV and bear the original Latin text of Luther's theses. Above on a golden ground is a representation of Christ, with Luther and Melancthon at his feet. On the right and left, above the doors, are statues of Electors Frederick the Wise and John the Constant. The bodies of these electors are buried in the church.

THE OLD TOWN.

Everywhere in the town are evidences of the great reformer. Not far from the railway station, outside the Elster Thor, stands an oak tree planted in 1830. This tree is said to mark the spot where Luther publicly burned the Papal bull on December 10, 1530. This spot is said to have been selected by Luther, because here were buried the clothing of those who died from the plague. In Collegeien-strasse is the Augusteum, in the court of which stands Luther's house. The first floor is fitted up as Luther Halle, and contains many articles that belong to Luther. In the vestibule are a number of paintings representing scenes in Luther's life. In the market place stands a statue of Luther under a Gothic canopy. The base bears the inscription: "Ists Gottels werk so wirds bestein; ists menschen werk, wirds untergehn" (If it be God's work it will endure; if man's work it will perish). Under a brazen slab in the Schloss Kirche are

THE REMAINS OF LUTHER.

Immense crowds of people from all parts of the country came to witness the ceremony of the rededication of the restored church. Upon the arrival of the Imperial party at the railway station they were welcomed by Prince Stolberg-Wernigerode, who conducted them to the town hall. The whole route was lined with troops. The Emperor walked the entire distance and the crowd shouted and cheered enthusiastically. The Imperial party was received at the town hall by the Burgomaster on behalf of the municipal authorities, and he read an address to the Emperor, who responded with thanks. At the head of the procession which formed in the market place were the highest Protestant clergy of the empire, including the president of the Evangelical Superior Council and the general superintendent of the Lutheran church. These were followed by a large number of clergymen of lesser note. Then came a long line of generals of the army in full uniform, other military officers, ministers of state, representatives of the Landtag and many officials from civil, military and naval departments. Then came the Protestant Princes of Germany, with their retinues, and the representatives of Protestant foreign sovereigns. The Emperor and his suite brought up the end of the procession, being escorted by a squadron of cavalry. As soon as the order was given for the procession to move

THE CHURCH BELLS

began to peal merrily, while the strains of "Eine Feste Burg" broke forth from the instruments of the trumpeters who were stationed in the towers of the castle church. When Emperor William arrived at the door of the church Professor Adler, the architect of the restored edifice, presented the key to his majesty, who with a few gracious words, handed it to the president of the church council. The latter in turn handed the key to Dr. Quandt, the pastor of the church, saying: "By command of the Emperor, the protector and high architect of this house of God, and by virtue of my office, I deliver to you as an ordained minister of the Word this key. May all who enter through the door which this key opens enter the gate of heaven." Dr. Quandt then opened the door and the Emperor and train passed through. As the Imperial party entered the church the congregation arose and sang the hymn, "Come, Holy Ghost, Our God." When the Imperial party had taken the seats assigned to them, Dr. Schaltze, the leader of the church in Saxony, opened the services. Dr. Vierege, the court chaplain, preached a sermon, taking his text from Romans iii., 24: "Being justified freely by His grace, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus." Upon the conclusion of the services the Imperial party drove to Luther's house, where the Emperor signed the deed of dedication. From

LUTHER'S HOUSE.

the Emperor and his party reviewed a gorgeous historical procession, composed of nineteen groups, illustrating the foundation and development of Wittenberg, and the foundation of the Schloss Kirche. The eleventh car was the chief feature. It was emblematic of the reformation. On it was a representation of Martin Luther on horseback, surrounded by his adherents. Behind the car rode five leaders of the famous league of Schmalkald, founded at Wittenberg in 1536 to defend the Protestants against Charles V. After this was a grand banquet. The Duke of York, who represented Queen Victoria, was seated opposite the Emperor. The Emperor, in his speech, said: "To us the church is not only a memorial, but a serious admonition and an expression of divine blessing through the Protestant church. The confession of our faith that we made to-day in the presence of God binds us and the whole of Christendom. Therein lies a bond of peace reaching beyond all lines of division. In the matter of faith there is no compulsion. The free conviction of the heart and the decisive acknowledgment thereof is the blessed

FRUIT OF THE REFORMATION.

We Protestants make a feud with nobody on account of his belief, but we hold fast our faith in the gospel of death." The Emperor thanked the German Princes and Protestant sovereigns of Europe for taking part in the festival. He concluded by raising the cup that Wittenberg presented to Luther on the occasion of his wedding. "This cup," he said, "once touched Luther's lips. It shall serve me to drink to the welfare of my illustrious guests. Long life to the Protestant princes of Germany and the governments of German free towns."

Sealing in Chilian Waters.

OTTAWA, Nov. 5.—A dispatch has been received from Lord Ripon, transmitting a note from the Chilian minister at London, announcing that his Government had prohibited fishing for sea lions, seals and sea otters in the Archipelago of Chili, Island Juan Fernandez, and territory on the Straits of Magellan.

French Statesman Dead.

PARIS, Nov. 5.—Edward Palery Gressier, French statesman, is dead.

Lynchers Indicted.

MOBILE, Ala., Nov. 5.—The Grand Jury has found indictments against 16 persons for murder, and 18 persons for assault and battery, at St. Stephens, Washington county, Alabama. The persons indicted were concerned in the lynching of Chris Chambliss, last June.

London Hospital Cough Cure

Is the sovereign remedy for coughs, colds and bronchial affections so prevalent at this season. Cochrane & Munn, druggists, corner Yates and Douglas streets, are sole agents. *

The great sale of books which takes place at the spacious auction rooms of Johnson & Co., on the 15th inst., is an opportunity which readers of the COLONIST should not miss. Catalogues are being prepared and can be obtained at the office of the auctioneers, Broad street, after Tuesday next. *

Lett's Diaries at Hibben & Co's.

IN CITY PULPITS.

Services to be Held To-day in the Various Churches Where God Is Worshipped.

Preparations for Thanksgiving Day—Musical Programme at St. Andrew's Cathedral.

CALVARY Baptist Church pulpit, after being vacant for so many months, will again be occupied to-day by a resident clergyman, Rev. J. A. Coombes, formerly of La Conner, Wash., who preaches his first sermon as pastor of the church this morning. This gentleman has, with regret, parted with his old congregation in the State of Washington, for while laboring amongst them his efforts were attended with much success and he was well beloved by the large number of adherents of the church in that district.

Now that he has decided to make his home in Victoria, the members of Calvary Baptist church look forward to such success as will place their church among the first in the city. Their new pastor is an eloquent preacher, an ardent worker and a genuine, whole-souled man, who needs only a few weeks to make himself well thought of by all the members of the congregation. The services to-day will doubtless be well attended.

During the coming week there will be considerable activity in a number of the churches where special arrangements are being made for Thanksgiving Day. In all the Episcopalian churches there will be the usual Thanksgiving services in the morning, with a sermon and special music. Thanksgiving Day this year comes on November 10, next Thursday, and is sure to be very generally observed.

Members of the various city lodges, C.O.O.F., M.U., will meet this morning at the Trades and Labor hall and march in a body to the First Presbyterian church, where a sermon will be preached to them by Rev. Dr. Campbell, the pastor. This service will be an interesting one and promises to be largely attended by many members of the lodges, while the regular church going members of the congregation will also be present in large numbers.

At St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral preparations have been made for a special musical programme at High Mass, and those who recall with pleasure the services of Sunday week may use this as an index of what to-day's service will be like. The Mass to be sung is Lejeal's third, while Millard's Credo, Sanctus, and Benedictus, will also be sung. During the offertory the Cujus Animam of Rossini's Stabat Mater will be given by Mr. A. Werner. It is also expected that Mr. J. Hawthorne, a basso of good repute from San Francisco, will be present and take some of the solos.

There are no special announcements in connection with the services in the Episcopalian churches. The different pulpits will be filled by their usual occupants. In the Reformed Episcopal church Bishop Cridge will preach morning and evening. Morning subject, "Church principles and church work."

In the Methodist churches to-day's services will be about as usual. At the Centennial Methodist church services will be held at 11 a.m. and at 7 p.m., the evening sermon, by Rev. J. H. White, pastor, to be in memory of Mrs. Kermode, who in life was a prominent worker in the church. A special service of song will be held at 2:30 o'clock in the James Bay Methodist church. In the morning Rev. Coverdale Watson will preach, and the pastor, Rev. S. Wilkinson, will preach in the evening.

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Portland cement had been for a long time considered a product peculiar to the district from which it takes its name, but its manufacture in other quarters has dissipated the falacy, and although the Portland brand still rules the market, it is a well established fact that it is an artificial compound. The chief factors in high grade cements are limestone and a peculiar quality of clay, which are thoroughly ground, chemically blended, and subjected to kiln treatment. Mr. F. G. Jordan, C. E., has been trying some very interesting experiments at his residence, Queen's avenue, of late, and the third of the series, perfected yesterday, so far as the kiln process is concerned, has convinced him that he can produce an article vastly superior to any cement imported.

Weight, firmness, tensile strain and strength, are the ordinary tests to which cements are submitted to ascertain their worth, and to all these Mr. Jordan's product has been submitted, and in no particular has it been found wanting. Mr. Jordan is himself a practical man in the manufacture of cement, and knows a good thing when he sees it. With his somewhat crude appliances he has been able to produce a cement weighing 136 lbs. to the bushel—that manufactured in England averages 112 lbs. Some samples shown to a COLONIST reporter yesterday, which had been mixed and dried, were so hard that the point of a penknife would scarcely make a mark on their surface. The dry process is that adopted by Mr. Jordan as the most expeditious and cheapest. There is no peculiarity in his treatment; it is to the superior quality of the materials used that he ascribes the success, and these materials are to be found in unlimited quantities in the immediate vicinity of Victoria. Not alone is the cement produced superior to the imported article, but it can be manufactured and sold from $2 to $2 50 per barrel cheaper. Mr. Jordan is prepared to practically demonstrate all he claims for this home made cement, and if he can produce such good results with the improvised plant now in use, it is not difficult to estimate what can be achieved with the perfect machinery now used in the manufacture of this important article of trade. The experiments have proved eminently satisfactory, and it now only remains to have the cement used and tested, and with a verdict in its favor a great industry will be opened up, with Victoria as its head quarters.

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The Fourth Annual General Meeting—Declaration of Dividend.

The fourth annual general meeting of this Company was held on October 17 at Winchester House, Old Broad Street, Mr. J. H. Brodie presiding. The Report of the Directors was as follows:

The directors herewith present to the shareholders a balance sheet made up at the 31st May, 1892, and duly audited.

The net profits amount to £657 15s. 4d., which, together with the balance of £1,063 15s. 3d. brought forward from last year, and adding £1,500 transferred from the reserve fund, give a total of £3,221 10s. 7d. available for the year's dividends. Of this sum the dividend on the preference shares to the 30th November, 1891, and an interim dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the ordinary shares, paid on the 1st February last, absorb £1,964 10s. 1d.; and the directors now recommend that the dividend on the preference shares be paid up to the 31st May, leaving £57 0s. 6d. to be carried forward.

These results compare unfavorably with those of the previous year, and are chiefly due to the increased cost of packing consequent upon a smaller catch being secured, the low selling prices which have ruled owing to an excessive supply from Alaska, and to an exceptional amount of damage to one of the company's shipments, which occurred in passage to this country.

The company's total pack was 9,831 cases less than in the previous year, and though the aggregate catch of the province showed a relatively larger shrinkage, which reduced shipments to this country from that quarter, this was more than counterbalanced by the very large supplies from Alaska, which prevented any recovery in prices taking place.

The directors are pleased to be able to remark here that the Alaska packers have this season made arrangements to very materially reduce their production.

The improvements and additions to property pointed to in the last report have been duly carried out, comprising the preemption of the timber lands and the purchase of a small property on Rivers Inlet. The cost of these, together with additional steamers, new machinery for increasing the capacity of the sawmills, expenditure on a new wharf at the Naas River Cannery, further plant at the Naas and Fraser River fisheries, and a new building at the Windsor Cannery, amount to a total of £2,002 16s. 6d.

Mr. P. Strickland retires from the board by rotation, and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election. Messrs. Josolyne, Miles, and Blow also offer themselves for re-election as auditors for the ensuing year.

J. H. BRODIE,
P. STRICKLAND, } Directors.
A. G. KENDALL,
B. C. MESS, Secretary.

The secretary (Mr. B. C. Mess) read the notice convening the meeting.

The Chairman said: Gentlemen, before moving the adoption of the report, I would like to make a few remarks on the general state of the accounts. The result of the year's work is, I regret to say, not so favorable as it has been during the two preceding years; but we think the causes are perfectly natural ones. The catch, as you know, was some 10,000 cases below what it was the year before, and, of course, this means a very much increased cost. We have to prepare for our fishing operations some time ahead by sending our men up to the different fisheries and supplying them with the necessary materials. We cannot, of course, expect Chinamen or anyone else to go 500 or 600 miles up the coast of British Columbia without being guaranteed at least two months' work; but, in the case of short runs of fish, we have not been able to find employment for them for so long a period, and this has greatly added to the expenses. A large run means a cheap pack, and a short run an expensive one. Unfortunately we have to submit every few years to these short catches, and, therefore, to increased expenditure. Generally, small supplies have tended to improve the market here, and we have had very much better prices when we have had short catches; but when the 1891 pack was sold the prices did not improve at all, although the catch was short. The directors are very pleased to report to you an improved state of the salmon market generally, they having made forward sales of the 1892 catch at much better prices than were ruling this time last year. By concerted action on the part of the Alaska canners and on behalf of the Pacific Coast canners generally, the output of salmon has been very much reduced, and the market has readily responded to that state of affairs. Your property is in a thoroughly efficient condition, and during the year, as you see by the accounts, some £2,000 has been spent upon plant and improvements. Nothing has certainly been written off in the present year for depreciation, but some considerable amounts have been debited to revenue in British Columbia in respect of repairs, etc. We consider the position of the company thoroughly sound, and we hope to see a gradual improvement. Ours is, as you know, a fluctuating business, and we must ask you to take one year with another. The catch on the Fraser river for 1892 has been very short; in fact, the whole catch on the Fraser is, I think, only some 46,000 cases: but the catch on the Naas river was very good, on the Skeena it was excellent, while on the Rivers Inlet it was short. We know, therefore, that we must expect a short pack again for 1892. I do not know that I can say any more at this moment, but I shall be very pleased to answer any questions. I now beg to move: "That the report of the directors and statement of accounts presented to this meeting be, and the same are hereby, received, approved and adopted, and that the dividend recommended, at the rate of 8 per cent., on the preference shares for the six months ended May 31 last, be, and the same is hereby declared."

Mr. P. Strickland seconded the motion, which was carried.

The chairman next proposed the re-election of Mr. Strickland as a director of the company, which was seconded by Mr. A. G. Kendall.

A MOTHER'S OPINION.

"My baby girl was very sick during the past summer, and the doctor told us that it was almost impossible to save her.

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SISTER SOCIETIES.

Doings in the Various Halls and Lodge Rooms for the Week Past.

The Uniform Rank Ball on the 9th—Socials and Dances Being Arranged.

The usual round of lodge meetings is about all that comes up for record in society circles for the week past. Among the events for the coming week may be noted the Uniform Rank K. of P. full dress ball, which will be held next Wednesday evening in the Philharmonic Hall. The various committees are working hard to see that all the details are well carried out, and the result will no doubt be all that could be desired. A large number have expressed their intention to attend, and from present indications a splendid evening's enjoyment will be had by those who go. The floor will be carefully prepared, good music furnished, and everything done to render the occasion one of pleasure.

Far West lodge initiated three members into the rank of Knight at the last meeting. A committee was also appointed to co-operate with a similar committee from Sunset lodge, appointed last Tuesday night, for the purpose of arranging for a Christmas tree during the holidays.

There will be no Uniform Rank drill next Thursday evening.

The first anniversary of Acme lodge, I. O.O.F., will be celebrated by an open meeting next Friday evening. The guests will be treated to a programme of music and recitations, which is now being arranged. The remainder of the evening will be given over to social chats over old times, and a very pleasant reunion will, no doubt, be the result.

Columbia lodge, No. 2, I.O.O.F., had a rather small attendance last Wednesday evening, owing to the heavy rain, but that did not prevent them from performing the work of the initiatory degree in an exceptionally good manner, thereby adding two more names to their list of members. Next meeting night there will be work in the first degree. The members of this lodge are particularly requested to take notice that on next Thursday afternoon (Thanksgiving Day) there will be degree team practice in the hall, when it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

Grand Master Leiser of the A. O. U. W., has returned from his trip to the Mainland. He reports a great general activity among the various lodges of Workmen. Several new members were initiated during his visit to Vancouver. During the present week Mr. Leiser will organize two lodges A.O.U. W., one in Wellington on Wednesday evening and one in Vernon, probably on Saturday.

A Degree of Honor will be organized here in connection with the A.O.U.W. This will be for the benefit of lady relatives of Workmen. Ten lodges in the Province will entitle to a grand lodge with a beneficiary fund of $1,000, in case of the death of a member. Mrs. K. Wilson, of Seattle, will look after the organization in this city and in Vancouver.

The St. Andrew's and Caledonian society held their annual meeting on Friday evening, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, George Bishop; vice-president, Geo. Walker; second vice-president, John Collart; secretary, E. C. Smith; assistant secretary, R. F. Finlayson; treasurer, Duncan Stewart; physician, Dr. Renwick; wardens, Jas. Colquhoun and G. Webb; bard, Jas. Dean; directors, R. P. Rithet, A. B. Gray, H. W. Sheppard, John Robertson, H. D. Helmcken, R. Mitchell, and Donald McKay. At the conclusion of the election a committee was appointed to complete arrangements for the annual banquet, which will be held on the 30th inst., St. Andrew's day.

The various lodges C.O.O.F., M.U., will attend service at the First Presbyterian church in a body to-day.

The following officers were installed at a meeting of Waverly Lodge on Friday evening: Bro. J. Grant, N.G.; Bro. A. Emery, V.G.; Bro. H. Smith, secretary-treasurer; Bro. G. Crowther, W.; Bro. J. Burrows, R.S.N.G.; Bro. J. McCorkall, O.G. This lodge will meet the first and third Thursdays in each month.

The Ancient Order of Foresters propose to give a number of pleasant social events during the coming winter. Court Northern Light are arranging a smoking concert, and Court Vancouver will give a social dance in the near future.

Foresters' Hall is undergoing some repairs and remodelling. The hall will be made larger by the removal of some partitions.

The Juvenile Foresters are in a flourishing condition, new members being initiated nearly every lodge night.

The following officers were elected at the last meeting of Pride of the Ridge Lodge, I.O.G.T.: Bro. A. Collis, C.T.; Sis. M. Carlow, V.T.; Bro. J. Holden, Secretary; Bro. G. Snider, P.C.T.; Bro. A. Spendellow, Chaplain; Bro. S. Stooke, Fin.-Sec'y; Sis. Blake, Treas.; Bro. P. Manson, Marshal.

Lodge-Deputy Hall installed the newly elected officers of Perseverance Lodge, I.O. G.T., last Tuesday night. Perseverance is the pioneer temperance lodge of British Columbia, and it is preparing for an active campaign in the cause of temperance this winter.

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THE MEDICAL PROFESSION.

TO THE EDITOR:—In my last letter I proposed to say something of the medical profession, and the statistics it supplies. I do not intend to attack the doctors. I dare say they would survive it if I did, but I have too many friends among them to attempt anything of the kind. The doctors are splendid fellows. I had rather meet one of an evening than almost any other man. As a rule, he has a wide knowledge of human nature and a collection of good stories, which he tells well, and there are but few of the profession who chase the elusive dollar to the exclusion of all the finer graces of life. Then, again, your doctor, if he be a good specimen, is brave; he has the heart of a lion and the hands of a woman; he is long-suffering, patient, and enduring. There are medical men, here and elsewhere, to whom I would entrust the direst need of wife or child without a second thought.

But the doctors, taken collectively, become the medical profession, and of it I am very suspicious. The medical profession has very definite views at any particular period, and does not hesitate to force them upon the public at times, but it is continually shifting its ground, and what is to-day orthodox medicine becomes to-morrow anathema. The medical profession at one time believed that the arteries were filled with air; for 40 years it opposed Harvey's discovery of the circulation of the blood; it practised bleeding until the nations revolted; it gave mercury until people's teeth dropped out; and it is not many years since it refused a cup of cold water to a patient burning with fever.

My desire in enumerating these facts is not to rake up things that had better be forgotten; my point is that the practice of medicine is continually altering. The men who held these beliefs were, as you say, "specially educated in medicine and surgery," and during their currency for one medical man who doubted, there were a hundred who had the firmest faith in them. Is it not then quite likely that the medical profession has been mistaken with regard to vaccination?

Doctors do not make a special study of vaccination. They are taught at college that it is beneficial and necessary, only to be disappointed when they begin to practise, by the appearance of patients without number who have been vaccinated. It never seems to strike them that vaccination is probably of no use after all, so they strive to remedy matters by strengthening the dose; some by revaccination, some by multiplying the marks.

The only scientific enquiry into the subject for 50 years has, as its result, Dr. Crookshanks' "History and Pathology of Vaccination," published quite lately at 36s. Now I contend that, apart from all else, if any medical man can not only publish a book at $9, but sell it, his opinions are entitled to the greatest respect. But Dr. Crookshanks' standing is, in any case, quite beyond question, as he is Professor of Pathology and Bacteriology in London University. And what does this great authority say? Why, he has dealt vaccination such a staggering blow that it can never recover, again. I have a pamphlet containing the main points of the book, and I shall be happy to lend it to any doctor who may express a desire to see it.

It is when we come to statistics, though, that the medical profession goes so far astray. Having committed itself to the truth of the theory, it has to make out a case for vaccination, and therefore a case is duly made out. I do not accuse any doctor of deliberate falsification, but I do accuse many of them of keeping back facts that are essential, if their statistics are to be of any value whatever. What, for instance, can be more unfair than to class a patient as unvaccinated, because the doctor does not see the marks. Given three men vaccinated to day: in 20 years the marks of the first may be well defined, of the second faint, and of the third invisible, and yet if these three were admitted to the hospital ill of confluent smallpox, and were to die, they would probably all go down as unvaccinated, because no marks could be seen. Of course, if they recovered, the marks on the first two would become visible and any conscientious doctor would amend his returns, but the third man would still be returned as unvaccinated. It is owing to this erroneous method of classification that such deathrates as you quote are arrived at; in your quotation it is 37 per cent., but the number of cases is not given—a most important point where percentages are taken.

A golden number for the anti-vaccinator is 18·8 per cent., as this was the death-rate of all classes in the eighteenth century, when no one was vaccinated and inoculation spread small-pox broadcast. I will tell you how this figure is arrived at. Drs. Jurin (1723) and Lambert (1763) collected the records of 18,138 cases, and the London Small-pox Hospital Reports (1746-63) supply 6,454 cases more, the average death-rate being 18·8 per cent. Rees' Encyclopædia (1779) gives 18·7 per cent. The average of such an enormous number of cases cannot fail to give an eminently fair result.

Now if, in the Eighteenth century, with all its insanitary conditions and with inoculation rampant (no vaccination then, remember),—if, I say, the death rate was only 18.8 per cent., when we are now confronted with death rates ranging from 33 to 60 per cent., we are perfectly justified in concluding that there is something wrong, either with the figures or with the doctors. for if they lose from two to three times as many patients as their grandfathers did, what becomes of their boasted advance in medical science? The fault, assuredly, does not lie with the doctors, therefore their figures must be sadly out.

Here, sir, I shall close for the present, although the subject is exhaustless. If your readers seem, like Oliver Twist, to wish for more, I shall gladly write you again.

WM. GREIG.

THE FREE LIBRARY.

TO THE EDITOR:—Will you allow me space enough in your paper to express an idea that has been in my mind for some time with regard to the public library. I would suggest that each individual who has the privilege of being a member should give fifty cents a year towards its maintenance. Let the contribution be called a gift, as the library is "free"—free to go to ruin—a box of some kind to be placed on the library desk, and each member, on going for books, could slip the contribution into it, and at the end of a couple of months be opened and the amount made use of. Let it be called a New Year's gift. What a pity it is that the paper novels are so soon worn out for lack of a stiff binding.

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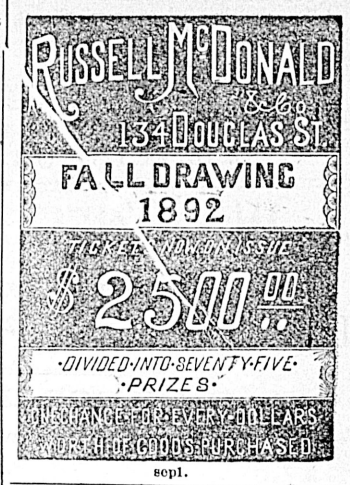

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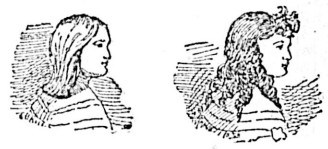

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Landslide on the C. P. R.—Mayor Haslam to Run Nanaimo Electric Light Works.

Shipping Damaged by the Gale—Twelve Months for Burglary—The Texada Mines.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 5.—W. J. Findley was before Magistrate Jordan this morning on a charge of burglarizing Ross-McLaren's store at Barnett. He was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment.

A sailor fell off the tug Discovery in the Inlet to-day, and was rescued with great difficulty.

H.M.S. Melpomene arrived to-day for the purpose of distributing the supernumeraries on their arrival from the East among the different ships of the fleet. They are expected to-morrow or Monday.

W. G. M. Davidson, F. G. S., has returned from Kootenay. He reports very favorably on the mining industry.

The St. Andrew's society last night elected P. T. Dunn president, and J. B. Smith secretary for the year.

A good many hundred dollars worth of damage were done the shipping in the harbor by wind last night. A scow belonging to F. M. Yorke, and one belonging to Stevens & Soule, with hoisting engines, foundered. A sailor on the tug Port Discovery, of Port Townsend, was washed overboard and drowned.

Last summer's flower thieves have turned their attention to chickens. Their choice is seasonable and profitable.

The Orangemen celebrate Guy Fawkes' day by a concert Monday night.

A writ has been served on Rev. H. B. Hobson in the suit to recover the grounds on which Christ Church was to have been built.

The sale of Redondo Island iron limit will be closed on Tuesday with Portland people, who will develop it at once.

George R. Parkin, M.A., will lecture on Imperial Federation on Thursday night.

The Customs returns show an increase of over $10,000 those of 1891 and over $20,000 over those of 1890, while the Inland Revenue shows an increase of about $1,000.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 5.—While boring for coal yesterday at South Westminster, at a depth of 70 feet the drill encountered the trunk of a large fir tree which was perfectly sound, bark and all. A small quantity of petroleum issued from the drill hole.

The butchers have combined to raise the price of meat, and people now depend upon the farmers for relief. Already they are selling beef on the market at seven and eight cents per pound, for which the butchers charge 18 cents.

The gale last night did much damage to the fences, but no shipping disasters are reported.

The Pittendrigh inquest stands over for another week, waiting the arrest of Indian Mary.

The windlass of the pioneer steamer Cassiar wrecked on Seabird Bar in the sixties, was unearthed yesterday and brought to the city.

A big mudslide took place on the C.P.R. near Ruby Creek yesterday. In consequence the passenger train which left for the East yesterday had to lie at Agassiz all night. A gang of men were put to work to clear the line and this morning the track was free of mud and in condition for the resumption of traffic. The train from the East to-day was delayed an hour and a half by the mishap.

Four cars of canned salmon from the Northern canneries will be shipped to Eastern points by the C.P.R. to-morrow.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Nov. 5.—J. Fish, miner, while working at Wellington, lit his squib, but it not going off as soon as he expected he went back to investigate, when it exploded, injuring him about the face and hands.

Capt. S. F. Scott has been appointed agent for the Sun Life Insurance Co. at this place.

A. L. Galano, a rancher on Campbell River, had his house robbed of its furniture while he was absent at Victoria. On returning he saw a canoe of Indians just starting off. He fired, wounding one of the party, but the canoe did not stop.

It is reported that Henry Hewett, jr., and A. R. Whitney, of the Puget Sound Steel Works, have bonded the Texada Iron mines.

J. W. Sutherland, mining expert, who has bonded the Texada Gold & Silver Mine, Texada, went up there yesterday to make some arrangements for its development.

Sailed—ship Louis Walsh.

Steamer Joan will run from Comox to Valdez Island every two weeks, commencing the 17th inst.

The Comox Weekly News was to have been issued on Thursday, but the initial issue was delayed because the printer's ink had not been received.

Alex. Garvin has been at Comox this week on business in connection with his mineral springs. Arrangements are being made to build a hotel.

The party who robbed Wm. Tree and Geo. Libet at the Elk hotel, Union, has not yet been captured. The guilty party is supposed to be at Comox.

J. W. and Miss Tolmie and Mrs. Going and daughter, of Victoria, who visited Comox during the week, were driven through the district by Mr. W. Robb.

The Union hospital board recently held a meeting. Work had been stopped for lack of funds. The board made arrangements to borrow money from the doctors' committee and the building will now be completed.

Everything has been settled between Mr. Simon Leiser and the French syndicate. On the 15th, a meeting of creditors will be held.

Mayor Haslam, who purchased the electric works through A. Morrison of New Westminster, will continue to run them this month, after which, it is expected, they will be taken over by other people.

THE LOWER COUNTRY.

(From the Vernon News).

Camp McKinney's disadvantage in lack of roads could easily be remedied by running the road from Dog lake through the Inkameep, and from Camp McKinney continue it on to Rock creek and Kettle river. At Camp McKinney a large amount of ore is in sight.

The difficulty of maintaining the present wagon road from Penticton along the west side of Dog Lake, owing to the sandy nature of the soil has once more drawn the attention to the possibility of a road down the east side of the lake.

Every confidence is expressed by the people of Camp Fairview and other camps in the lower country that good results await the working of the mines. Camp Fairview claims the honor of being the healthiest mining camp in the province in every sense of the word. The speculative tendencies that mark so many other camps are not to be found here, and instead, a cash basis of doing business has been inaugurated.

The people here are satisfied that they contributed their share towards the success of the fall show at Vernon, and have shown that the most luscious fruit can be grown here. One point upon which they prided themselves was the mineral exhibit sent up in charge of Mr. F. Richter. Messrs. Dexter, Kline and Bowen, of the Wide West; Lefevre, McEachern and Mangote of the Black Diamond and Morning Star; Fleming, Hammond and Andrews of the Silver Crown; Sheehan and Gwatkin of the Stem-winder, and E. Reynolds of the Brown Bear and Wynn M. represented Camp Fairview in samples of ore from each of the mines enumerated. From Camp McKinney were rich specimens contributed by the Douglass Mining Company from the Eureka claim. Mining experts who saw these specimens in charge of Mr. Richter before they left for Vernon were of opinion that no richer display of quartz was ever exhibited from any group of mines.

The visit by Mr. Lumby, Government agent, to the lower country will likely prove of great importance, for Mr. Lumby will report in full to the Government.

E. Morris is one of the go-ahead men of Camp Fairview. He is going into building, and has every confidence in the camp going right ahead.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAILS.

Dissatisfaction With the Present Service to San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.—There is considerable dissatisfaction manifested by New Zealand officials regarding the transmission of mails from San Francisco to the colonies, and it is proposed to secure a reduction of the postal rates charged by the United States. It is held by Government officials there that the rates are not properly based, and they talk strongly of discontinuing the payment of the rates demanded by this Government. Should such a step be taken it is possible that the service will cease altogether. The British postal officials also complain of the charge made for the carrying of the outward mails from this city to Auckland, deeming it to be an excessive toll. They favor the Suez canal route on the ground that the latter way is the cheaper. Mails sent that way would be assessed at the Postal Union rate, which is about one-third of the present cost.

New Zealand, besides bearing the cost of mail matter from the United States, must also pay the additional rate charged for carrying it across the Atlantic from Great Britain to this country. Heretofore the British Government has paid the latter rate, but recently refused to longer do so. The burden rests upon the mail contractors, and it is estimated that a loss of $10,000 a year will fall upon them by this action. Since 1885, when the Auckland and San Francisco service was established, New Zealand has complained that the Government was a heavy loser and claims the amount contributed by the United States for the service—$50,000 per annum—was not sufficiently large in proportion to the continual losses sustained by that Government, and endeavored to induce this Government to increase the sum, but without avail. In 1889 and 1890 the loss was quite heavy, and last year the Government of New Zealand expended more than $17,000 for the service from this side over and above the profits derived. This is believed to be due to the reduction in the letter postage from 12 cents a letter to 5 cents for a half ounce and the additional cost of transmission of mail across the Atlantic.

The effect of the reduction of the ocean letter rate was shown by the fact that while letters sent to England via San Francisco last year increased 16.18 per cent. in number, the postage collected showed a reduction of 51.59 per cent. compared with the figures of 1890. The reduction in the letter rate in New South Wales caused an increase in the number of letters of 28 per cent., a decrease of 46 per cent. in the postage receipts and had the effect of increasing that colony's loss on the Federal service from $2,800 in 1890 to more than $68,000 last year. In Victoria the loss in 1891 was nearly $40,000. Mr. Ward, Postmaster-General for New Zealand, is strongly opposed to allowing the service to drop, as apart from its international importance it is the only means of developing commercial relations with America by regular and direct communication. He desires that the other colonies increase the amount of their payments to New Zealand, which colony bears the whole responsibility of the contract for the service given them.

A SILENT INTERPRETATION.—In South Carolina, where everybody is a born aristocrat, rules of court prescribe that not only the judges but also the attorneys must wear robes in court. Against this rule the leader of the bar—his name was Petigree—stoutly rebelled. He constantly appeared in court in the rough costume of a planter, and the judges pretended not to notice it. One day, however, when he was leading counsel in an important case, and he rose to address the court in his usual pepper and salt, the presiding judge felt compelled to draw his attention to the rules of court regarding the attire of attorneys. Petigree smiled and observed: "I understand your honor to say that the rules of court must be executed." The judge bowed. "Then, sir," said Petigree, holding the rules in his hand, I read this: "'The sheriff shall attend this court in cocked hat and sword.' I now draw your attention to the sheriff there. His hat is cocked, but most certainly his sword is not."

THE RIGHT TEST.—A West Washington young lady (says the Post of that city), who has been married but a few weeks, had her first experience at "going to market" the other day. After she had succeeded in making several laughable blunders, as young wives are apt to, she approached a poultry-dealer and asked the price of chickens. Being told by the dealer, who also handed her a fine pair of live birds to examine, she quieted their fluttering as best she could, and then, applying her nose to them, and giving them an audible smell, said, in the most innocent manner: "Are you sure they are fresh, sir?"

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Home Rulers and the Gladstone Government Bill—A Farmers' Party Forming.

The Monetary Conference—Precautions Against Trouble on Lord Mayor's Day—Monetary.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—When Gladstone, soon after taking the reins of office, held a conference with McCarthy and O'Brien on Home Rule, he gave them the distinct impression that in the forthcoming bill the Liberal Government would provide for a full representation of Irish members in the Imperial Parliament. The progress of the bill in the cabinet councils during the present week has darkened the prospects of its approval by the Nationalists. The supporters of the ministry say the cabinet is discussing favorably a clause to retain Irish representation in Parliament, but favors reducing the number of members entitled to vote on Imperial questions only, from 103 to 78 under the new scheme. Another point, regarding which the Irish leaders are likely to come into collision with the ministry, is the decision that the Imperial Parliament shall, by two thirds majority, have power to vote on all bills passed by the Irish Parliament. Irish Nationalists demand that the sole right to vote on such bills shall be vested in the crown under the direct advice of the Irish ministers. The McCarthyites are better pleased with the amendments giving the Irish Parliament control over the police and judiciary and liberal provisions to settle the land questions after the funds of the existing purchase acts have been exhausted.

Both Liberal and Conservative wirepullers have been trying to seize an advantage in the agitation springing up because of the depression of agriculture to form a Farmers' party. The demands made include a readjustment of the rates the farmers pay for holdings; reformation of land grants; a reduction of tithes and taxes, and reform of the game laws. Farmers are now facing the worst year known to the present generation, and are seeking relief in immediate legislation on these lines.

Now, that the membership of the monetary conference is fully made up, it is evident that the advocates of the single tax standard are in the majority. England, Germany, Austria and Belgium will send delegates having a preponderance of monometalists, yet a growing belief in London circles is that the conference will effect some arrangement. The talk formerly indulged in about the futility of the congress is no longer heard. The president of the Institute of Bankers, in his inauguration address, referred to the currency question as urgently demanding reasonable settlement. The duty of the Government, he said, was to find a practical remedy for existing difficulties that could never be met by theoretic discussion. This declaration had great significance and was a distinct advance on the *laissez faire* treatment of the subject. The attitude of the English delegates selected will guide the decisions to a great degree. They have as yet received no definite instructions. It is reported that the Government is considering suggestions by influential firms in Manchester, Liverpool and London to settle the question upon the basis of reciprocal concession, gold standard countries taking silver coin at par, and silver countries giving reductions in tariffs. A leading expert on the subject told an Associated Press correspondent that reciprocity upon a silver coinage basis would be impracticable.

Monroe & Co., bankers, of Paris, who have in their possession the money known as the Paris fund, belonging to the Irish parliamentary party, have written a letter to Justin McCarthy, in which they say that they have consulted counsel in regard to the release of the fund. Counsel advises them that they cannot part with the money unless authorized to do so by the tribunal of the Seine. A compromise between the sections of the Irish parliamentary party regarding the disposition of the fund, they add, can free them from the responsibility. Months may elapse before the tribunal of the Seine gives a decision in the matter.

Yesterday there was a conference between representatives of the Home Office and the chief officials of the Metropolitan police, relative to the precautions for the preservation of the peace upon the occasion of the Lord Mayor's parade, on Wednesday next. It has always been the practice to bring the entire reserve force for duty within the city limits during the hours occupied by the procession in passing to and from Guildhall, but extraordinary precautions have been regarded as necessary this year, owing to the report that the No Popery Association, an organization controlled by a few men tinctured through and through with bigotry, are laying the wires for a formidable demonstration against Lord Mayor-elect Knill, because of his connection with the Roman Catholic Church. The conference decided that over a thousand detectives in plain clothes be scattered in the crowd along Cheapside, Threadneedle street and the Thames Embankment; that companies of police should be massed, out of sight of the crowd, at convenient distances; and that, should the slightest attempt be made to create a disturbance or foment any unruly demonstration upon the approach of the Lord Mayor's carriage, the detectives should at once seize the ringleader, and signal to the nearest company of police in waiting to clear the streets. There has been some talk of abandoning the procession, but it is held that this would be establishing a dangerous precedent.

The funeral of the Dowager Queen of Wurtemburg, who died October 30, took place yesterday in a procession from the palace to the church. Emperor William walked beside King William of Wurtemburg. Court Chaplain Schmidt delivered the oration. After the ceremonies King William of Wurtemburg and the relatives of the dead dowager descended into the vault where the remains were deposited.

The general election for members of the new Italian Chamber of Deputies is in progress. Both parties have made a bitter fight. At the eleventh hour a manifesto was issued yesterday by ex-Prime Minister Di Rudini, who denounced the scheme to reconstruct the old political parties on the basis of the historical period, and deplored the fact that Parliament is split into several parties on religious grounds. The outcome of the election will be of great interest to Europe, as Rudini is in favor of peace among the nations, and during his last term of office he considerably improved the relations of Italy with Russia.

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Stable, Kane street, $5 per month. 25

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6-Room House, 44 Second street, $15 per month. 28

4-Room House, 46 Second street, $12 per month. 29

7-Room House, 20 Humboldt street, $20 per month. 30

3-Room House, Humboldt street, $8 per month. 31

4-Room House, 193 Douglas street, $8 per month. 32

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CANADIAN CATTLE SHUT OUT.

The closing of British ports to Canadian cattle will be a serious blow to the trade of the Dominion with Great Britain. The trade in live stock has been a growing one for some years, and it promised to go on increasing. It was in this trade that Canada enjoyed a very considerable advantage over the United States. The British authorities had, some time ago, decided that cattle could not be imported alive from the United States with safety, as they were likely to be affected with pleuro-pneumonia. Americans were, therefore, obliged to send their beef to the British market dressed, or have the animals slaughtered as soon as they were landed. But Canadian cattle being free from disease, were allowed to land, and were sent alive to different parts of the country.

The English cattle dealers were not by any means pleased that this privilege shou'd be extended to Canadian cattle, for it brought those cattle into the market to compete with British bred animals. They have, therefore, been for a long time seeking for a pretext to exclude Canadian cattle as they had excluded United States cattle. A year or two ago they had nearly succeeded, and had it not been for the exertions of Sir Charles Tupper they would have effected their purpose. They have laid their plans, it appears, better this time. Canadian cattle have been pronounced dangerous, and a decision has been procured against them. There are no details in the report announcing the fact of their exclusion, but we gather from the tone of the telegram that Canadians in England do not think that the case against cattle from the Dominion has been proved. As they are deeply interested in the decision arrived at by the authorities it is hardly safe to conclude that an injury has been causelessly inflicted on Canadian trade. It would seem to us that the officers of the Crown would not have pronounced against Canadian cattle without what they, at any rate, considered sufficient proof.

It appears quite certain that there is no pleuro-pneumonia in any part of Canada. A rumor was raised some time ago that the disease had made its appearance somewhere near Edmonton, in the Northwest, but the report, if we do not mistake, was proved to be false by the highest authority on cattle diseases in the Dominion. There has not been as much as a whisper of its having made its appearance since in any other part of the Dominion. It is, however, just possible that the disease may have been caught while some cattle were in transit to the British market, or it may be that some enterprising American may have succeeded in getting diseased animals across the line and passed off on the buyers as Canadian cattle. It is difficult to believe that a verdict would be given against Canadian cattle in England without proof. It may, as we say, be possible that animals purporting to be Canadian have been found to be diseased in England, but we do not believe that a single animal could be found affected with such a highly contagious disease as pleuro-pneumonia on Canadian territory from Halifax to Victoria. It is to be hoped that when this is proved, as we have no doubt it will be, the prohibition will cease, and that Canadian cattle will pass as freely into British ports as they have been allowed to do hitherto.

A MISTAKE.

Mr. Mercier and his agent Pacaud have been acquitted by a Quebec jury. We cannot see how anything else could have been expected. Those acquainted with the ways of Quebec juries might have known that if any pretext could be found to acquit Messrs. Mercier and Pacaud—or whether there could or not—they would be acquitted.

The opinion, as far as we could learn, among the people of that province, was that the Provincial Government was pressing the late Premier and his man too hard—that their enemies ought to have been contented with the verdict given at the polls and with the consequences to Mercier of that verdict. He was a ruined man politically and financially, and should have been left in the obscure and powerless position to which he had fallen. To prosecute him criminally, when he was in so miserable a condition was, it was said, like hitting a man when he is down, and a sympathy was created for him among people who, when they saw the political wreck that he had made of himself, felt that he was receiving the punishment he deserved. But when he was prosecuted for a crime, the punishment of which was imprisonment in the penitentiary, indifference, in these persons, became pity, and they considered that he was being made a martyr of. The sympathy, instead of being with the prosecutor, was with the prosecuted, and when Mercier was acquitted he was, as we see, treated as if he had been a hero. This shows that the Provincial Government in prosecuting him on a criminal charge had made a mistake. If the ex-premier had been left alone in poverty and obscurity, and if those who had been his political opponents had taken no further proceedings against him, it would be very hard for him to get into notice again and to raise himself in the popular esteem. But the late prosecution has given him the lift that he needed. It has brought him again to notice. It has roused the enthusiasm of many of his old friends and given him a place in the politics of Quebec once more. Men of Mr. Mercier's moral constitution are not easily killed, and the people of Quebec are not disposed to consider the offences of which he has been guilty crimes of a very deep dye. His being carried on men's shoulders through the crowd and his being honored by a torch-light procession are evidences of this. Mercier has, through the mistake of his opponents, got his foot on the political ladder again, and he is not the man to throw away an advantage no matter how it may have been gained.

A MIDDLE COURSE.

Our esteemed contemporary the Vancouver Telegram, says with reference to the controversy respecting the Nakusp road:

It is not our province to decide which of them (the controversialists) is to be blamed for this, or which has the best of the argument. The one appears to be trying to make a point against the Government, the other to defend its action or want of action in regard to the Slocan country. Both our contemporaries seem to have entirely overlooked the public interests in the matter, which are not at all likely to be promoted by useless wrangling.

Such criticism as this is very common, but it is not, we submit, either fair or sensible. The man who steps in between two disputants and looking very wise, says: "You are both in the wrong, gentlemen," and suggests a middle course is often nothing better than a pretentious humbug. It is as if A said, "two and two make four," and B maintained that "two and two make five;" C, who is represented by the Telegram, puts in his oar and says oracularly, "this is useless wrangling. Neither of you is right, for two and two make just four and one half." After having thus delivered himself, C looks round with a self-satisfied air, expecting the applause to which he considers himself entitled.

But the Telegram is not an oracle, and when it says that both its "contemporaries seem to have entirely overlooked the public interests in the matter," it expresses itself like one of the shortsighted and superficial bystanders. The COLONIST, we contend, when it maintained that the Government would not be justified in taking large sums of money out of the Treasury without great urgency and without the consent of the Legislature, did not overlook the public interest. On the contrary, it kept the public interest well in sight, not only in the matter under discussion, but in all matters in which the administration of public money is concerned. The people and the people's representatives are bound to see that the Government does not exceed its legitimate authority in the expenditure of the public money. Laxity in that matter opens the door for the most serious abuses. Twenty-five or thirty-five thousand dollars is not by any means a small matter when the amount of the revenue of the province is considered. Is there any one in Great Britain who would have the assurance to ask the Imperial Government to expend, without the authority of Parliament, a sum proportionately large? No one would think of making such a request, and no British Government would entertain it for a single moment if any one could be found audacious enough to make it. And our contemporary should remember that our institutions are framed on the British model, and that the nearer we keep to the British practice in the expenditure of public money the better will it be for our public interests. Perhaps when our Vancouver contemporary takes a little time to think over the matter it will find that our dispute with the Times about the construction of the Nakusp wagon road was not "useless wrangling," and that the COLONIST, at any rate, did not lose sight of the public interest. We have a notion that if it were the public interest alone that the Telegram had in view it would not have expressed itself as it did. There are wheels within wheels, as our contemporary very well knows.

TIMES IN GREAT BRITAIN.

The Republican newspapers of the United States believe it to be their interest just now to represent the English workingman as being on the borders of starvation. The picture which they draw of the condition of the wage-earners in all parts of the United Kingdom is exceedingly gloomy. This they attribute to Great Britain's free trade policy. In order to prevent the workingmen of the United States from voting for Cleveland, who is in favor of tariff reform, the Republicans create a British workingman and hold him up before the wage-earners of the United States as a bogie. He is, as they paint him, a very pitiable creature indeed; but as he exists in real life he is not much to be pitied. Americans who have had opportunities of observing the "pauper" laborer of England at home attending public meetings and taking his holiday, have been surprised to see what a sturdy, independent, comfortable-looking chap he is—the very opposite in fact of what they expected to see.

But leaving partisan exaggeration out of the question, times in Great Britain are just now pretty hard for the workingman, and they threaten to be still harder. Work is difficult to be procured, and wages have a tendency to get lower. The labor correspondent of the British Trade Journal, on the 15th of last month, wrote:

Since the middle of last year the labor market has slowly but surely indicated the progress of a period of trade depression, but in no month during the whole of that time has the change for the worse been so strongly marked as during the month just passed away. It is fortunate that the transition has thus taken place by easy stages up till now, so that large bodies of men have not been thrown on the market with the suddenness noticeable in the case of some former depressions. The greatest change has come upon the shipbuilding, engineering and other related trades, among which the proportion of those now out of work varies from 3 to 10 per cent. Possibly some portion of this may be due to the strikes now pending in various shipbuilding and engineering centres.

Much was said at the above date about the proposed strike of the cotton spinners in South-east Lancashire, but that trouble has since been happily averted. We think we see, too, a disposition on the part of the workingmen in other trades to be moderate in their demands and to wait for an increase of wages until times get better. The poor harvest, too, has aided to produce depression in Great Britain. The crops seem to have grown well enough, but the weather was so wet that the late grain could not be properly harvested. We see that so late as the middle of October "an enormous acreage in Yorkshire" was still out in the fields, and that on some farms the crops had not been cut. In all parts of England and Wales grain was suffering from moisture. Tenants in some places were talking about asking for a reduction of rent and the small pay of the farm laborers was, in view of the poor returns, made smaller still.

On the whole, then, the outlook in Great Britain is not cheerful. A season of depression has apparently set in, but the distress is neither so general nor so great as the American Republican politicians are representing it to be. Great Britain has weathered other periods of depression and it will get over the coming one, no doubt, without sustaining any very great injury.

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ja28-tf C. DUBOIS MASON.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS—Court Cariboo, No. 743, meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month in St. George's Hall, cor. Government and Bastion sts. Visiting brethren welcome. R. Douglas, C. R., A. L. Campbell, R. S. oc15

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Odd Lines of Dress Goods, to clear, 8 yds for $1
Melton Serges, Superior quality, 6 " " 1
All Wool Dress Goods, 6 " " 1
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All Wool Plaid Dress Goods, 25 cents per yard

DOUBLE WIDTH DRESS GOODS:

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Plain and Fancy Melton Cloth, 54 in. wide,	75c	All Wool Sideband Dress Goods	40c
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Diagonal Dress Goods	35c	Cashmeres, Black and Colors	50c
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Ladies' Scalette Jackets, from 4.00
Ladies' Ulsters, from $4 50
Ladies' Tweed Mackintoshes, from 5 00
Ladies' Mackintoshes, from 1.90

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Children's Reefers, from $2.75
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Our Corset Department is complete in the following lines:

The Celebrated P. D., The C. P., Watchspring, Yatisi, Modjeska, Coraline A., Agava. Ladies' and Misses' Hygiean Waists, all of which will be sold at Reduced Prices.

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AT 11 A. M.

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117 net, and 123 gross tonnage, built in Kennebunk, Maine, U. S. Frame and planking of white oak, copper fastened, her bottom was metaled last year. She is well known on the Atlantic and Pacific oceans as being the fastest of the fleets, and one of the best sea going vessels on the Coast, being one of the few of the fleet that is well adapted to other purposes than sealing, and is well worthy the confidence of any seaman. The vessel will be sold with all her boats, guns and outfit now on board. Inspection of experts is invited. The inventory may be seen on application to G. BYRNES,
oc25 Auctioneer.

AUCTION

FURNITURE, ETC.

MONDAY, NOV'R 7

AT 11 A.M.

I have been instructed by the Right Rev. George Hills, D.D., Lord Bishop of Columbia, to sell by auction at Bishop's close, Church Hill, all his Household Furniture, viz.:

DRAWING ROOM.

Walnut piano, by Hopkinson, of London, selected by the great composer, Blumenthal; music wagon, easy chairs, arm chairs, mahogany writing table, tea tables, Davenport writing desk, folding tables, 2 mirrors, ottomans, whatnots, pictures, Brussells carpet, ornaments, etc.

DINING ROOM.

Large mahogany table, 10 mahogany chairs and arm chair in leather, handsome dinner service, sideboard, carpet, glassware, cutlery, case of 400 geological specimens by Professor Tencent, with catalogue, double-barrelled gun and case, 2 small medicine chests, Tilton & McFarlane safe, green dessert service, fancy china service, lamps, cutlery, glassware, Brussels carpet, etc.

HALL.

Lawn tennis rackets in case, umbrella stand, oil cloth, 2 terra cotta vases, croquet sets.

OFFICE.

Mahogany leather chair, small chair, invalid chair, sofa, wardrobe (or press), 1 walnut chest with drawers, vases, carpet, etc.

BEDROOMS.

Brass bedstead and bedding, 4-post bedstead (mahogany) and bedding, iron bedsteads, three-quarter bedsteads, double washstands, chamber sets, mirrors, feather beds and pillows, commode, rosewood chairs, cane sofa, walnut table and drawers, mahogany dressing table, easy chairs, ladies' trunks, etc.

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Range with hot water connections, stove, assorted crockery, tinware, filters, lamps, churns, milk pans, etc.

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A nice English phaeton, buggy and harness, dump cart and harness, hay chopper, scythes, timothy hay, potatoes, vise, grindstone, new side saddle, saddle bags, chickens, etc. A fine, well bred cow, also good milker with calf in January.

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15th

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The auctioneers would call special attention to this sale, inasmuch as the library is one of great value, many of the books being rare and collected at great cost, affording an opportunity to possess the best works at the buyer's own price.

The books will be on view a week previous to the sale. oc18-1m

REAL ESTATE.

Important Sale by Public Auction.

I HAVE received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, 1892, at 12 o'clock noon, in the Armstrong-Young Block, Columbia street, New Westminster, the following described Real Property:

The northerly part of Lot 3, Block 5, and the northwest part of Lot 4, Block 5, New Westminster City. This property is situate on the south side of Columbia street, upon which it has a frontage of 41 feet, with a depth of 66 feet, and is covered by a Brick Block, two stories and basement, which extends to the limit of sidewalk.

The building is eminently adapted for a wholesale or retail business, and is very substantially built, it is in the centre of the business part of the city and directly opposite the Masonic and Odd Fellows' Block and is known as the Scoullar Building.

This property is bringing in an excellent rental and is occupied by the Cunningham Hardware Company.

Also Lot 6, Block 5, Old Granville Townsite, now the south side of Water street, in the City of Vancouver, upon which street it has a frontage of 30 feet.

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This Lot is well situated in the business centre of Vancouver City.

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The Editor of the Kicker on the Highroad to Senatorial Honors.

Love Sketches by the Diagram Man "Objeck" Lesson by Brother Gardner.

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THE ARIZONA KICKER.

NOT OUR WAY.—We are a candidate for state senator, and we shall do our best to get there with both feet. We shall, however, make a radical departure from long established customs, as we have mentioned before. The candidate opposed to us served five years in Joliet for stealing a horse. THE KICKER will not use the incident as a campaign document, nor shall we more than casually and pleasantly refer to it in our speeches from the stump. We have entered politics hoping to elevate instead of degrade it. If we can't be elected without vilifying and abusing our opponent, then may we be snowed under. We cannot consistently advocate the major's claims to election in our own paper, but if the alleged newspaper down the street will champion his cause we will agree to purchase 100 copies per week during the campaign.

WE CAN'T USE IT.—Certain impulsive political friends of ours have come into possession of a legal document proving beyond doubt that our political opponent is a bigamist and liable to go to state prison. The document has been offered us for publication, but we refused to give it

THE DOCUMENT HAS BEEN OFFERED US FOR PUBLICATION.

publicity. While there is no shadow of doubt that the major is a bigamist, and while two or three of his deserted wives will be here next week to make it pleasant for him, we do not feel like making capital out of his misfortunes. We want to see this campaign conducted in an honest, decent manner, and we shall discourage all friends of ours from any attempt to make capital for us out of past circumstances.

DECLINED WITH THANKS.—Judge Pardee, of Lone Tree, writes us that he can show by newspaper records of Indiana that our rival in the race for state senator was tarred and feathered and driven out of South Bend for slandering the character of a widow who refused to marry him when she discovered that his father was hung for murder. While we are greatly obliged to the judge for his interest in our behalf, we must decline to publish proofs he sends us. If we can't be elected over the major on the issues of the campaign, then we shall accept defeat gracefully. The idea of dragging in his past is very repugnant to us, and we shall not aid or countenance such a movement.

PLEASE DON'T.—It has come to our ears that the Hon. J. William Jones, who has lately come to reside among us, has recognized our political opponent as a man who was sent to jail for six months at Des Moines for hamstringing a horse belonging to a blind man. He is so sure of his man that he is about to send for a detective to come on with a photograph and help him make a public exposure. We sincerely hope and trust that Mr. Jones will do nothing of the kind. While there is no doubt of the correctness of his suspicions and convictions, we entered upon this campaign with the explicit declaration that there should be no mud slinging on our part. Let us look at the major as he is to-day, and not as what he was ten or fifteen years ago. We regard him as a genial, whole souled man, who will do his best to fill the position with honor, if elected, and we look with disgust upon these efforts to handicap him.

RETURNED WITH THANKS—The mail yesterday brought us a sworn statement from five reputable citizens of Omaha to the effect that our political opponent was cowhided in that city by a woman; that he was known to be a professional gambler; that he robbed an aged soldier of his pension money; that he was strongly suspected of arson; that he bilked a hotel for $100, and that he left town under a cloud because of a certain robbery. The document was sent to us for publication that we might get the drop on the major. We return it to-day with thanks. While we are flattered by the interest and energy of our friends, we can't bring ourself to conduct a campaign on eastern principles. We started out to play fair, and we are going to follow that policy to the end.

OF COURSE, BUT.—One of our Nevada exchanges observes that we are honest, upright, moral, brilliant, wise, philosophical and an honor to Arizona; also that our political opponent is ignorant, bigoted, vicious, corrupt and ought to go to prison instead of to the state senate. Yes, we know all this, of course, but we hope it won't be used in the campaign to his detriment. If we can't be elected on party issues, we shall be content to remain at home.

BROTHER GARDNER ON CHICKENS.

"I hold yere in my hand," said Brother Gardner at the last meeting of the Limekiln club, "a letter from de state agricultural buro, of Illinoy, askin dis queshun, 'Am it yo'r opinyun, based on observashun an reports, dat de cull'd people of dis kentry hav lost deir taste fur chicken meat?'"

"I objeck! I objeck!" shouted the Rev. Penstock as he sprang to his feet.

"What do yo' objeck to?" calmly inquired the president.

"I objeck to dat communicashun bein received by dis club, sah! I consider it an insult on de cull'd race!"

"I doan' see where de insult comes in."

"But I do! Fur de last fifty y'ars de white man has been yellin 'chicken' at us, an de world has come to believe dat dar hain't a cull'd man on top de airth who won't steal chickens if he kin git a show to. It's all wrong. We heven't got no mo' to do wid chickens dan de white man. I decidedly objeck to dat communicashun bein received in an offishul way."

"Am dat objeckshun suphorted?" asked Brother Gardner as he looked around the hall.

"It am not," he continued as silence reigned profound, "an I shall ax Bruder Penstock to sot down an keep shet. Dis am a queshun to be discussed wid calmness an reason. De report to be made yere will form a part of our nashunal statistics. So fur as my experience an observashun goes de black man was bo'n wid a taste fur chicken. [Murmurs of approval.] As a chile, befo' he had cut his double teeth, he smacked his lips fur chicken. [Cries of 'Yum! yum!'] De older he growed de mo' he wanted chicken potpie, an chicken roasted down in de kettle, an chicken smothered wid onions, an chicken in all sorts o' ways. [Great applause.]

"Up to a few y'ars ago," continued the president, "de white folks had all de chickens in de kentry. Dey axed sich a high price dat de black man couldn't buy. De result was what might be expected. [Agitation.] Feelin dat he must hev chicken or perish he waited fur a dark night. [Nods of approval.] He had located a sartin hencoop. He knowed de shortest road to git dar! He knowed when de policeman would be down at de odder end of de beat. [More nods.] 'Bout leben o'clock on a dark night he left his cabin an took a walk. De owner of dat hencoop had locked de doah, but dat black man pulled off two bo'ds an crawled in. [Applause.] On de poles he counted fo'ty-two plump, fat chickens. He could take de hull lot, but he wasn't dat sort of clothespin. He jest reached up fur a couple of pullets an left de odder fo'ty right dar. [Wild cheers from every part of the hall.]

"My frens,' said the president, while a bland smile played over his countenance, "I'ze bin right dar. I'ze tooken chickens off de roost—chickens dat b'longed to a white man. So has de Rev. Penstock. So has ebery man in dis club. We had to do it. We was driv to it by our longin for to taste chicken. It was when we was pore an downtrodden an had no rights in law. [Hear! Hear!] Of co'se, jest as soon as we could do so, we paid fur dem chickens. [Yes! Yes!] An den we begun to git chickens of our own. Now an den a cull'd man who has met wid a misfortune an hain't bin able to git a hencoop together, may hev continered to eat white man's chickens, but sich cases am few an fur between. [Applause.] Eben den he doan' select de fattest an best, but contents hisself wid jest a common fowl. He hates to do it, but he has to, an he keeps track of ebery one an means to pay all de damages bimeby. [Tremendous applause.]

"Now, my frens, de question am, Has de cull'd race losted its taste fur chicken? Has it become so stuck on codfish an bacon dat it has turned away from wings an legs an nice white meat growin along de breastbone? So fur as I am personally concerned I answer, No! On de contrairy, I believe dat our people as a race think mo' of chicken to-day dan eber befo'."

This statement was greeted with shouts of approval from fifty different members, and when the Rev. Penstock bobbed up to protest he was promptly and vigorously hooted down.

"I OBJECK! I OBJECK!"

"De queshun will be put to wote," said Brother Gardner when the excitement had subsided. "Hev we lost our taste fur chicken meat? All who think so will arose."

The Rev. Penstock stood up.

"All who am sartin suah we hevn't, an who can taste chicken dis very minnit, will do de same."

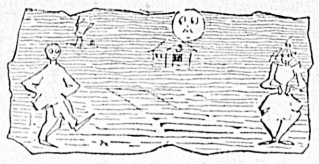
Every man in the hall stood up and waved his hands and cheered, and the excitement became so great that Elder Toots swallowed a peachstone he was holding in his mouth to prevent catching the cholera.

"Dat settles it!" grimly observed the president as he looked around, "an de seckretary will answer accordingly. We will now bust up de meetin an adjourn to de banquet room an attack seben large watermilyuns which hev bin kept on ice fur de last two days."

THE DIAGRAM MAN.

They were engaged—Lionell De Haven and Leonaire St. Claire. He had first met her on a street car, and the graceful, lovable way in which she had paid her fare had smitten his heart. Although a stranger to her he had ventured to observe that there was a heap of measles abott just then, and without any trace of that Puritanism brought over on the Mayflower in packages of various sizes she had replied in the affirmative, and added that her papa had a boil on his neck. Within a week they were engaged, though it was agreed between them that nothing should be said to the old folks for five or six years yet.

On the evening on which our story opens Lionell and Leonaire are sitting on the west veranda of her father's house. They have had their first quarrel. She wanted him to touch the buzz saw end of a bumble bee with his finger, but he obstinately refused. The following diagram shows how they sat:



The full moon shows its face over No. 3 fire engine house. The whippoorwill whoops it up in the sweet gum swamp. The only katydid in that section of the state sits under the shelter of a tomato vine and plaintively calls for peace on earth. Twenty minutes of valuable American time hurry into the unknown. Lionell keeps his eyes glued on a knothole in the back fence. Leonaire hasn't even winked since she fastened hers on her papa's overalls swinging on the clothesline. All of a sudden—But the following diagram shows what occurred:

They had neared each other. It was an involuntary action, and both looked surprised. Ten minutes more of awful suspense. The soft breezes soughed mournfully through the limbs of the gentle oak, and from out of the softness of the night a thousand voices seemed to whisper, "What's the use in gittin mad about nothin?" Lionell cautiously turned his face to look at her. Leonaire was playing the same circus.

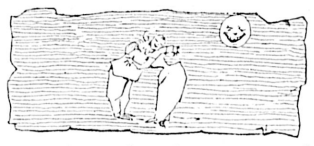
"Lionell!"

"Leonaire!"

"I hain't mad!"

"Nor I either!"

Then with a mighty— But the following diagram will explain what occurred:



Two minutes later there was an awful crash, followed by a suppressed shriek.

"Great snakes! but what is that?" exclaimed Leonaire's father as he laid down his paper and started to his feet.

"Sit down, Jerry, sit down!" replied Leonaire's mother as she looked up from her knitting. "I used to fall off your lap jest that way when we was sparkin, but it never hurt the least bit!"

AN AMERICAN LEGEND.

Once upon a time as a sage who was renowned for his wisdom and philosophy was taking his usual walk along the highway, he was accosted by a man who had thrown himself down upon the ground to die. He was ill and feeble, and his voice was weak as he cried out:

"O sage, I have been searching for you for lo! these many weeks, but always in vain! I want a few chunks of that solid advice you are always so ready to distribute for the benefit of the unfortunate."

"Speak, and I will do the best I can," was the kind reply.

"Know then, O sage, that I have built a poem entitled, 'Why My Heart Is Sad.' I have offered it to over fifty different newspapers, but in each instance has it been rejected. I have climbed many weary flights of stairs to interview editors, but each one has sat down upon my aspirations and made my sad heart still sadder. The world knows me not. It cannot know me while things are thus. I wish to move the hearts of men, but I have no show. Tell me what I should do?"

"Give me the poem," commanded the sage as he laid down his staff and drew a card of advertising rates from his bosom.

"Here it is, O sage, frayed and tattered and stained with the tears of disappointment, but still in the ring."

"Ah, yes! Twenty verses—six lines to a verse. Set in leaded nonpareil—display head—a slug between each verse—say three-quarters of a column on third page—one insertion. O pilgrim, canst thou raise about $100 of the long, green stuff?"

"And why the dross?"

"To get your poem published at regular advertising rates, and so secure copies ready for mailing at three cents apiece."

"But is there no other way, O sage, to reach the great wide world?"

"You might try handbills and billboards, but advertising always pays. Circulation the largest in the world—10 per cent. off for the second insertion—get copy in early."

"I cannot do it, O sage!" cried the poet as he fell back to earth. "It is not professional, you know, and they would probably put it in the same column with pills, soothing sirup and porous plasters! No; I will expire right here and be buried in a poet's grave!"

And he duly and decently and regularly expired, and the sage saw him laid away beneath a yewyew tree, in the branches of which a turtle dove had built her nest and was rearing her young.

M. QUAD.

"Our townspeople who intend visiting the Tacoma Exposition are cordially invited by the Helvetia Milk Condensing Co. to make themselves perfectly at home, around their Exhibit, which will be very attractive this year. They will have a score of young ladies serving coffee, with the Highland Brand Evaporated Cream." *

Drink Phoenix Lager Beer.

Lett's Diaries at Hibben & Co's.

The Assured City.

Alberni, the hub of Vancouver Island is the assured city of the West. Look up its position, its natural advantages, resources, etc. *

Lett's Diaries at Hibben & Co's.

Much the Same.

Situated much the same as Liverpool on the west coast of England, possessing superior shipping facilities and like natural advantages, Alberni will, one day, become the Liverpool and Manchester of Vancouver Island. History repeats itself. *

"PINK" HAWLEY.

The Famous Pitcher of the St. Louis Baseball Club.

Among the prominent young pitchers of the country is E. P. Hawley, better known as "Pink." He was born at Beaver Dam, Wis., in 1872. There was a twin brother, and at an early age the two began to play ball as pitcher and catcher. The twin brothers soon made a widespread reputa-

E. P. HAWLEY.

tion. In 1890 and 1891 the boys played with several Wisconsin teams and were widely known as "Pink and Blue," the pony battery. It was a common occurrence for from fifteen to twenty-four men to strike out on "Pink's" pitching, and many opposing teams were retired without a hit. In June, 1891, "Blue" died with pneumonia, and this broke up a battery which promised to become famous in a national sense.

"Pink" Hawley is 5 ft. 10 in. tall and weighs 180 pounds, though not yet twenty years old. Last March Anson took him south on the Chicago's practice tour. While in the south he accepted terms from the Fort Smith club. The club by his pitching won the state championship of Arkansas. Perhaps the most remarkable game of his career he pitched for that team against their rivals—the Van Burens—at Morrillton, in which he struck out twenty-two men. The St. Louis management secured his services last July, and he has since then done good work for the Browns.

Hawley has remarkable speed, swift curves and is besides cool headed. His best work with St. Louis has been against the Bostons and Cincinnatis, each of which he held down to three scattered hits.

When the twins were small the nurse tied blue and pink ribbon on them respectively, a la Girofle-Girofla, in order to distinguish one from the other. Hence their names—"Pink" and "Blue." This resemblance continued to strangers up to the hour of "Blue's" death, and it was a puzzle to decide which was the catcher and which the pitcher when they were not in their positions on the field.

The Champion Yearling Pacer.

Belle Acton, 2:22¼, the champion yearling pacer, is a beautiful dark bay, slightly tinged with brown. She was foaled April 6, 1891, and her remarkable speed, thus early developed, emphasizes the great ad-

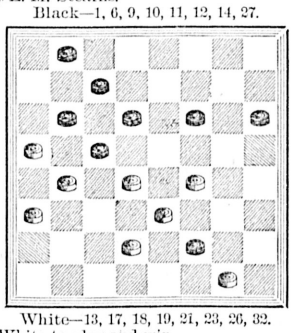
BELLE ACTON, 2:22¼.

vances made in the propagation of trotting and pacing horses during the past few years, besides showing what careful and intelligent breeding will do. Belle Acton is by Shadeland Onward, 2:18¼, out of Lottie P. (pacer), 2:17¼. She is the property of E. D. Gould, of Fullerton, Neb., by whom she was bred. Unless Belle Acton should meet with some mishap in the meantime the 3-year-old pacing record is likely to be knocked over by her next year, and there are those who declare that if any "harness horse" is ever to reach the two minute work Belle Acton is the one that will do it.

CHECKERS AND CHESS.

Checker Problem No. 188—End game. By L. M. Stearns.

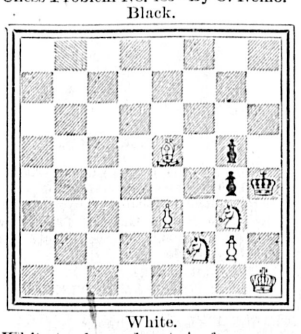
Black—1, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 27.



White—13, 17, 18, 19, 21, 23, 26, 32.
White to play and win.

Chess Problem No. 188—By O. Nemo.

Black.



White.
White to play and mate in four moves.

SOLUTIONS.

Checker problem No. 187:

Black.	White.
1..21 to 25	1..26 to 22
2..18 to 15	2..31 to 26
3..25 to 30	3..26 to 23
4..24 to 28	4.. 2 to 7
5..14 to 18	5..23 to 14
6..15 to 10	6.. 7 to 11
7..10 to 26	7..B wins

Chess problem No. 187:

1..Kt to Kt 6 ch	2..P x Kt
2..B—B 5 mate	

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

RE SCHOONER "ARIEL."

McLEOD, MASTER.

All persons having claims against the schooner "Ariel" are requested to send same to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of October next, and all persons indebted to the said schooner are requested to pay to the undersigned the amounts due on or before the said 1st day of October next.

H. G. HALL,
12 Bastion Square, Victoria.
Solicitor for the owners of the schooner "Ariel,"
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 6th, 1892. se7

NOTICE.

All parties having any claims against the schooner "E. B. Marvin" are notified to send the same to the undersigned not later than November 8th, 1892.

J. R. McKENZIE,
Managing Owner,
Schooner E. B. Marvin.
oc28-9t

Notice—Municipal Act, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners to be held on Wednesday, the 14th day of December, 1892, for a renewal of my License, to sell Wines, Beer, and Spirituous Liquors by Retail, in the premises known as the "Queen's Hotel," situate at the corner of Johnson and Store streets, in the City of Victoria.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., October 31st, 1892.
no1-10t SIMON LEISER.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of William Harvey, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all claims against the Estate of the above named, deceased, must be sent in to the undersigned at their office No. 6 Broughton street, Victoria, on or before the 22nd day of November, 1892, and all debts owing to the said Estate must be paid to them before that time.

McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD,
Solicitors for C. A. Holland, executor of said deceased. oc23-1m

NOTICE.

In re Maria Larbonne, Deceased, Intestate.

All persons indebted to the estate of the above named deceased, are requested to pay the amount of such indebtedness to the undersigned, and all creditors of the said estate are requested to send in certified statements in detail.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1892.
YATES, JAY & RUSSEL,
Solicitors for Joseph Larborne, Administrator.
oc17-1m

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date we shall, on behalf of the Honourable J. S. Helmcken, M. D., make application to the Honourable Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for permission to erect a wharf fronting on his property, lots 1367, 1368 and 1369, block 47, Victoria City. Plans of the said wharf are now deposited with the department of Public Works at Ottawa and in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B. C.

October 21, 1892.
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
oc25-1m Solicitors for Hon. J. S. Helmcken.

NOTICE.

Positively no shooting at Cloverdale farm. Tresspassers will be prosecuted.
au31 J. W. TOLMIE.

NOTICE is hereby given that all claims against the estate of Carter & Tolmie, Brewers, Victoria, are to be handed in, and all persons indebted to the said estate are to pay their accounts to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of November next. John J. Austin, Assignee to estate of Carter & Tolmie, 32 Five Sisters' Block, Fort street, Victoria, B. C., October 28th, 1892. oc29

NOTICE—The partnership heretofore existing between James O'Neill and James Cowie, under the firm name of O'Neill & Cowie, Real Estate agents at 101 Yates street, this city, is dissolved from this date, Oct. 1st, 1892. The business will hereafter be carried on by the undersigned at the above address.
oc2 JAMES O'NEILL.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that having sold my business to the Sayward Mill and Lumber Co., Limited, I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and patrons for past favors and ask that the same be extended to the new firm.

Persons having claims against me are requested to present the same, and all persons indebted to me are requested to pay such indebtedness at my office, 16 Trounce avenue.
oc19 W. P. SAYWARD.

FROM AND AFTER this date I shall not be responsible for any debts contracted without my written authority.
W. F. TOLMIE.
Dated the 2d day of September, A.D. 1891.
se93-tf

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR any debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.
JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm
Victoria, Dec. 11, 1890. de16

$300 REWARD.

Three hundred dollars reward will be given by the undersigned to any person or persons giving information that will lead to the conviction of the party or parties who forged our names to a notice posted on a bulletin board at the corner of Government and Cormorant streets, offering a reward to kill Chan Lin Jung (alias Charley Sing) and Yip Wing (alias Ah Wing).

Victoria, B.C., 31st October, 1892.
LEE MONGKOW.
CHU LAI.
LOO GEE WING.
WONG BOO WAI.

The above reward guaranteed by the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Society.
CHU LAI, President.

The above notice is a copy of the one written in Chinese and posted by us in Chinatown on the 30th day of October, 1892. no2-2w

Extension of Birdcage Walk

—FROM—

Michigan Street to Toronto Street, and Widening of Carr Street from Toronto Street to Dallas Road, by the Local Improvement System.

Pursuant to section 15 of By-Law No. 170, intituled a by-law to provide for the assessment of real property benefited by Local Improvement, the following report from the City Engineer and City Assessor, including schedule, showing the proportion of assessment on the property benefited by the proposed improvements, is hereby published, viz:—

City Hall, Victoria, B. C., October 26, 1892.

To His Worship the Mayor, and Board of Aldermen.

GENTLEMEN:—We the undersigned having received a copy of a resolution passed by the Council on the 21st of October, *re*-extension of Bird Cage Walk, sixty feet in width from Michigan street, southerly through Block 61 to Toronto street, to connect with Carr street, and the widening of Carr street to a width of sixty feet from Toronto street to Dallas road, through Block, 1, 12, 2, 7, and 5, Beckley Farm, have the honor to submit the report and plan attached in conformity with Sections 4 and 5, By-Law 170, intituled "A By-law to provide for the assessment of real property benefited by local improvements."

The following is a description of the real property which in our opinion will by benefited by local improvements, viz: Lots, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, part of 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, all in section 6. Also subdivision of Lots 1718 to 1722; and 1741 to 1745, subdivision 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, 1717 and 1746 of Block 60, also Lots 1767, 1768, 1800, 1799, 1798, also subdivision of Lots 1763 to 1765, and 1801 to 1805, subdivisions 12, 13 and 14, all of Block 61. Also Lots 32, 33, 34, 3, 2 and 1, of Block 1, Beckley Farm, also a part of Block 1, Beckley Farm. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Block 12, Beckley Farm, and also a part of 12, Beckley Farm. Also 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 of Block 7, Beckley Farm. Also 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 of Block 6, Beckley Farm. Also parts of 4 and 5 Beckley Farm. Also Lots 1, 2, 3, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22 of Blocks 3, 4 and 5, Beckley Farm. Also Part of Block 2, Beckley Farm.

We consider the proposed improvement will be permanent.

The estimate cost of the proposed improvement, including right of way, removing fences, removing and making good buildings, grading and macadamizing street, laying sidewalks, etc., is $41,814.00, which amount is assessed against the property that in our opinion is immediately benefited.

The proportion in which the assessment is made on the various portions of the real property benefited is described in detail in the list hereto attached.

The real property benefited is shown tinted red on the plan attached.

We have the honor to be, your obedient servants. (Signed)

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
W. W. NORTHCOTT,
no1. City Assessor.

Sub-section D, showing the proportions in which the assessment is to be made on the various lots benefited.

Lot.	Block.	Feet Frontage.	Rate per foot.	Amount.	Remarks.
1	Section 6	71	3 00	213 00	Cor. Birdcage and Superior.
2	"	40	3 00	120 00	Birdcage W
3	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
4	"	20	3 00	60 00	"
4	"	20	3 00	60 00	"
5	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
6	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
7	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
8	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
9	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
10	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
11	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
12	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
13	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
pt14	"	20	3 00	60 00	"
pt14	"	20	3 00	60 00	"
15	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
16	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
17	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
18	"	71	3 00	213 00	Cor. Birdcage and Belleville.
21	"	71	3 00	213 00	"
22	"	40	3 00	120 00	Birdcage W
23	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
24	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
25	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
26	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
27	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
28	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
pt29	"	10	3 00	30 00	"
pt29	Government road.				
30	Section 6	40	3 00	120 00	Birdcage W
31	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
32	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
33	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
34	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
35	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
36	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
37	"	40	3 00	120 00	"
38	"	71	3 00	213 00	Cor Birdcge & Superior

Sub-Division of Lots 1,718 to 22 and 1,741 to 5, Block 60.

1	....	86	3 00	258 00	Cor Birdcge & Superior
2	....	55.6	3 00	166 50	Birdcage W
3	....	55.6	3 00	166 50	"
4	....	55.6	3 00	166 50	"
5	....	56 6	3 00	166 50	"
6	....	86	3 00	258 00	Cor Michigan & Birdcage
pt1717	60	130	3 00	390 00	Cor. Superior and Birdcge W
pt1717	"	65	3 00	195 00	Birdcage W
1746	"	195	3 00	585 00	Cor. Birdcage and Michigan
1767	61	....	....	.....	Michigan st
1768	"	138	6 00	828 00	"
1800	"	138	6 00	828 00	Toronto st.

Sub-Division of Lots 1763 to 5 and 1801 to 5, Block 61.

12		98	6 00	588 00	Toronto st.
13		55	6 00	330 00	Young st.
14		55	6 00	330 00	"
1799	61	40	6 00	240 00	Toronto st.
1798	"	66	3 00	198 00	"
32	Bkly Fm	96	6 00	576 00	Cor Carr & Toronto.
33	"	90½	6 00	543 00	Cor Carr & Avalon.
31	"	64	3 00	192 00	Avalon Rd.
2	"	83	6 00	498 00	Cor Carr & Avalon Rd.
1	"	60	6 00	360 00	Carr St.
3	"	60	3 00	180 00	Avalon Rd.
pt 1	"	80	6 00	480 00	Carr St.
" 1	"	80	6 00	480 00	Carr St.
" 1	"	382 on Carr	6 00	2292 00	Cor Carr & Simcoe.
" 1	"	210 " Simcoe	3 00	630 00	
5	12 "	95	6 00	570 00	"
6	12 "	60	6 00	360 00	Carr St.
7	12 "	60	6 00	360 00	"
8	12 "	65	6 00	390 00	"
pt	12 "	536	6 00	3216 00	Cor Carr & Toronto.
4	12 "	51	3 00	153 00	Simcoe St.
3	12 "	51	3 00	153 00	"
1	7 "	93	6 00	558 00	Cor. Carr & Simcoe.
2	"	56	3 00	168 00	Simcoe St.
3	"	56	3 00	168 00	"
4	"	56	3 00	168 00	"
7	"	50	6 00	300 00	Carr St.
8	"	50	6 00	300 00	"
9	"	50	6 00	300 00	"
10	"	50	6 00	300 00	"
11	"	50	6 00	300 00	"
12	"	50	6 00	300 00	"
13	"	50	6 00	300 00	"
14	"	50	6 00	300 00	"
15	"	50	6 00	300 00	"
16	"	50	6 00	300 00	"
17	"	93	6 00	558 00	Cor. Carr & Dallas R
18	"	56	3 00	168 00	Dallas R'd.
	pt 5 "	140 (on Carr st)	6 00	2640 00	
	"	256 (Dallas and Batt'y)	3 00	768 00	
	"	265 (Dallas and Batt'y)	3 00	795 00	
1	3-5 "	86½	6 00	519 00	
2	"	53½	3 00	160 50	
3	"	53½	3 00	160 50	
14	"	86½	6 00	519 00	
15	"	53½	3 00	160 50	
16	"	53½	"	160 50	
17	"	53½	"	160 50	
18	"	53½	"	160 50	
19	"	53½	"	160 50	
20	"	53½	"	160 50	
21	"	53½	"	160 50	
22	"	53½	"	160 50	
pt	4 "	107	"	321 00	
				$41,814	

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Empress of India ...	Dec. 21, "	Jan. 8, 1893
Empress of Japan ..	Jan. 18, 1893	Feb. 6, "
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Empress of India ...	Mar. 15, "	April 3, "
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10.15 a.m.	Lv	28	.. Seattle ...	82	Lv	3.00 a.m.
1 30 p.m.	Lv	72	Pt. Townsend	38	Lv	11.45 p.m.
4.30 p.m.	Ar	110	.. Victoria†..	M1	Lv	8.30 p.m.

PORT TOWNSFND MAIL ROUTE.

11.00 p.m.	Lv	M1	.. *Seattle ...	58	Ar	3.00 p.m.
‡2.30 a.m.	Lv	39	.. Pt. Madison.	47	Lv	2.10 p.m.
	Lv	45	.. Kingston ..	41	Lv	
3.00 a.m.	Lv	49	.. Pt. Gamble .	21	Lv	11.00 a.m.
4.00 a.m.	Lv	77	.. Pt. Ludlow.	13	Lv	10.00 a.m.
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For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
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For Plumper Pass—Thursday and

M. QUAD'S SKETCHES.

The Story of a Cashier Who Robbed the Bank—The Bushwhacker.

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Our bank was the First National bank of Scottsville, a town having a population of about 10,000. There were two or three private banks, but no other institution having the capital and dignity we carried. The stockholders numbered nearly thirty people, and all were residents of the city and county. Among them were four or five widows, and quite a number of minors and orphans were also represented. At that date I was a young man of twenty-three and acting as chashier and bookkeeper for a manufacturing concern. I had $3,000 in cash, and with this I bought stock in the new bank. The organization had been completed and the institution was ready to open when the president sent for me and said:

"James, I have known you for the past three or four years. Everybody in the town seems to speak well of you. Your employers tell me they have the utmost confidence in your integrity, and each one of our executive board has spoken in your favor. I have purchased $2,000 worth of stock in your name to bring your holding up to $5,000, and am authorized to offer you the position of cashier."

Yes, I had many friends. I was ambitious and industrious. I was also honest. No man could say I had ever wronged him in any manner. I don't mean to convey the idea that I was an exception. There has never been any scarcity of thoroughly reliable young men, nor will there ever be. I accepted the position with a feeling of gratitude toward those who had tendered it, and I made up my mind to prove myself competent and worthy in every particular.

In one year we had grasped half the business of the county. In two years there was only one private bank left. We had any amount of money to lend on easy terms, and whenever an extension was wanted it was cheerfully granted. I had done more than any other man to bring about this state of affairs. I say so because all the officers and stockholders said so. In two years my salary was advanced three different times. No man could have been more fully trusted than I was. My advice was sought and invariably followed, and everybody complimented the bank on its sagacity in securing my services. I had been with the bank two years and four months when a singular incident happened. One evening as I sat reading in my room the thought came to me like a flash to rob the bank and escape to a foreign country. I pledge you my word I was frightened for a moment. It was as if a voice had whispered in my ears. Rob the bank! Why, I would chop off a finger sooner than embezzle a penny! What could have given birth to such a thought? I was upset and indignant, and yet I could not shake off the idea. To my alarm I found myself beginning to reason and speculate. It was as if I had a double, and the double said to me:

"You are working like a slave to enrich others. You are getting a fair salary, but it should be double what it is. Why slave away for years to get a few thousand ahead when you can lay your hand on a fortune any day? It would be stealing, but then we all steal. You are young and full of energy and ambition. With $50,000 to back you you can go to some foreign country and make millions and become a nabob in a few years.

I should have trampled such thoughts under foot on the instant. No man in a trusted position turns thief in a day. It is only after he has fought with temptation and been overcome—allowed himself to be overcome. I made an effort to rid myself of the thought, and it would have vanished but for a silly action on my part. A week later, as I smiled in contempt at the idea of my turning robber, I allowed myself to speculate on what would happen in case I did. That is, I wondered how much I could get hold of, what country I should go to, and so forth and so on. When I suddenly found myself greatly interested I jumped up in shame and confusion, but half an hour later was deep in imagination again.

It seemed as if the evil one did everything in his power to aid me after I had finally determined on my course. I had the "luck" to meet an American who had just returned from South America. He mentioned several sure things in the way of speculation, and painted such a glowing picture of the country that I was excited and impatient. The bank had large deposits that fall, and on the 13th day of September we had nearly $70,000 of what was called outside money. This was cash temporarily deposited by the county treasurer and by the cashiers of three or four manufacturing establishments. I had been waiting for such an opportunity. I could have taken from $20,000 to $35,000 almost any day, but I had planned to practically clean out the institution.

Between the 4th and 11th of September I planned the details of my flight. I knew the time tables of the different railroads I should pass over, what day I should take the steamer, and every detail had been carefully worked out. I might be pursued, but I flattered myself that I had laid my plans too well to be caught. I planned to go to the bank at 9 o'clock in the evening and secure admission. The watchman would not hesitate to let me in. I would then assault and overcome him. He could not give the alarm before morning, and I would then be far away. I planned to make my coup on the night of the 13th. At the close of business on the afternoon of that day we had $107,000 in greenbacks in the vaults. After a bank has closed its doors to the public at 4 o'clock p. m. there is work to keep the force busy for an hour or more. For a year I had always been the last one to leave, and my hour had been 6 o'clock. The trusty day porter was then left alone until 8 o'clock, when he gave place to the regular night watchman. At half past 5 o'clock that afternoon and just as the last clerk had departed the night watchman came to notify me that his wife had died suddenly and to ask that a substitute be employed. He named a man, but I told him that I would make my own arrangements.

When the watchman had departed I notified the day porter that he might leave at 6 o'clock, as I had work which would detain me till about 8. Five minutes after 6 I was alone in the bank and its funds were under my thumb. The train by which I should leave town was not due until 10:50, and I was therefore in no hurry. I locked up and went to my boarding house to supper.

At 7 o'clock I returned to the bank, pulled down the shades, lighted the gas, and in the course of twenty minutes had packed every dollar in the vaults into a satchel provided for the purpose. This satchel I placed on a chair outside the railing, and had sat down for a smoke when there was a rap at the door. I knew it was one of our force, but hardly expected to see the president himself.

"I expected it was you," he said as he entered; "always the last to go. You are working to hard and must take a rest. At a meeting of the board to-day it was decided to give you a month's leave and a gift of $500 in cash. You have been faithful and efficient, and we wish you to know how thoroughly you are appreciated."

I don't remember what I said in reply, but I do remember that something like honor seized upon me at the idea of my own baseness. Right there within reach of his hand was the money I intended to fly with, and yet he was lavish in his praises of my integrity. He remained only a brief time, and soon after his departure I went outside to walk about and plan a little. I hadn't given up the idea of robbery and flight, but a still, small voice was whispering to me. On the first street corner I encountered a tramp. I was very much perturbed, but still I shall always remember what he said. When he asked for alms I suppose I stared at him, for he added:

"Yes, I'm ashamed of myself. It's my own fault that I'm down here. I let temptation get the better of me."

That was another prick of conscience, but he actually hurt me when he said:

"Thanky, old man. May you never know what it is to lose the respect of the world."

Within twelve hours it would be known that I was an embezzler and an absconder! Not only that, but I was robbing widows and orphans and helpless old men! It seemed to me that I could already hear the newsboys crying out the headlines of the article telling of my shame and dishonor. I stood looking after the tramp as he walked away, when a hand was laid on my arm and I turned to confront the leading merchant of the town. I knew him well and favorably, although he had never been a patron of our institution.

"Look here," he said as we walked along arm in arm, "I've always done business with Gleason because I found everything all right, but I'm going to begin with you to-morrow. Gleason is as good as gold himself, but I don't fancy his new cashier. He's a high roller, I hear, and some day he may turn up missing with all the boodle he can carry. No fear of that in your case."

And I had $107,000 all packed up and was only waiting for train time to become the meanest and most contemptible robber ever heard of in the state.

"Everybody is speaking in your praise," he continued, "and you deserve all that is said. Just keep a level head and you'll find the road to honor and wealth."

When he left me I had to lean against a dead wall for support. The sound of his footsteps was still in my ears when I suddenly felt that I was saved. There had been a terrible struggle of conscience, but right had triumphed at last. I was pulling myself together to return to the bank when a woman accosted me by name and said:

"How lucky I happened to see you! I was on my way down to Black's to see if he wouldn't take charge of this package till to-morrow. It's money I got only two hours ago—$2,000."

"Come in here and I'll give you a receipt."

"Never mind that. We all know you and trust you."

Her parting words gave me a shiver. How little they knew me! A hundred rods away was evidence to make me an object of contempt in the eyes of every man, woman and child in the community! I had one more trial to undergo. Almost at the door of the bank I met two business men of high standing who were holding an animated conversation.

"Heard the news?" queried one as I came up.

"What is it?"

"You remember the clerk in my brother's office in Philadelphia who skipped out two years ago with $30,000? Well, he's been overhauled. He went to Peru, no doubt expecting to have grand times. It seems that everybody soon knew he was a thief, and he was an object of general contempt. He wandered about, always a marked man, and at last was so overcome with shame and degradation that he asked to be arrested and sent back. He was despised, insulted and plundered, and did not have one hour's solid comfort out of his stolen funds. He will go to prison for ten or fifteen years, and he might as well die then. Say, isn't it a curious thing that men will so destroy themselves?"

"Take your own case," added the other as he placed a hand on my shoulder. "You are young, but respected, trusted and honored, and on the sure road to wealth. You might crib $100,000 from the bank and get away, but would that compensate you for the sacrifice? No! Even a million wouldn't. I tell you, the man who has got to outlaw himself to enjoy his plunder must see days when he would almost give his life to be set back in the position he once held."

I passed into the bank and carefully locked the door behind me. My knees were so weak that I had to rest for a good twenty minutes. Even my hair was sopping wet with perspiration. When I felt strong enough I carried the satchel to the vault, opened the doors and replaced the money, and it was not until the iron doors were locked again that I felt sure I had won. There would be no watchman that night. I had planned it so. I took off my coat, kicked off my shoes and made myself comfortable in an armchair. I did not feel sleepy, but when the day porter came at 7 in the morning to relieve the watchman I was sound asleep. It got to the ears of the officers that I had sacrificed my night because of the death of the watchman's wife, and the president feelingly said:

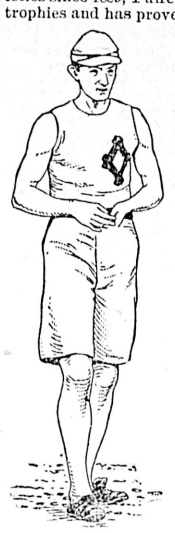
"Bless the dear boy! He's a man out of a million!"

Am I still cashier? Well, never mind about that. I am still regarded as an honest man, and I doubt if you could make any of my business friends believe that I had ever been tempted for an instant.

A WONDERFUL HURDLER.

F. C. Puffer the Holder of Four World's Championship Records.

F. C. Puffer was born in New York city Oct. 9, 1871. He is 6 ft. ½ in. in height and when in condition weighs 150 pounds. Though he has only participated in athletics since 1889, Puffer has won numerous trophies and has proved himself an athlete of more than average ability as a high and broad jumper, as well as a champion hurdler. He is also a fair runner, his best performance on the path being 52 3-5 seconds for the quarter mile. Puffer made his debut as a hurdler at the Nautilus Boat club games Feb. 21, 1889. At the indoor championships at Boston, February, 1890, Mr. Puffer won his first championship, the distance being 200 yards over ten 3 ft. 6 in. hurdles. The time was 26 3-5 seconds, which is the best on record. In 1891 he won the running broad jump with 22 ft. 2½ in., and one week later at Yonkers he cleared 22 ft. 4 in., which is his best performance at broad jumping.



F. C. PUFFER.

Puffer opened the present year by winning the 70 yards high hurdle race at the indoor championship held in Madison Square garden Jan. 23. Sept. 10, at the second annual championship meeting of the Metropolitan Athletic association, the 120 yards hurdle race fell to Puffer in 16 seconds. At the American championship games held in New York Oct. 1 Puffer won the 120 yards hurdle race in the wonderful time of 15 2-5 seconds, which is the world's record; he also won the 220 yards low hurdle race in 25 2-5 seconds, which makes him the holder of no less than four hurdle championships, ranging in distance from 70 to 220 yards.

A Y. M. C. A. Champion.

William H. Roberts, of Brooklyn, the all around champion of the Young Men's Christian association of the state of New York, is about twenty-four years of age. He made his debut as an athlete in 1884, when a mere boy. On that occasion, which was the opening series of games given by the Williamsburg Athletic club, Roberts won the one-fifth of a mile run, defeating twenty-five competitors.

WILLIAM H. ROBERTS.

Roberts holds the following records, which demonstrate his fitness for the honor of Y. M. C. A. New York state champion: One hundred yards dash, 10 3-5 seconds; half mile run, 2m. 8s.; quarter mile run, 51 1-5 seconds; mile run, 5 minutes; 220 yards run, 23 4-5 seconds; 220 yards hurdle race, 27 2-5 seconds; pole vault, 8 ft. 6 in.; putting 12-pound hammer, 88 feet; running high jump, 5 ft. 3 in.; running broad jump, 19 ft. 8 in.; 12-pound shot, 17 ft. 3 in.; throwing 56-pound weight, 17 feet; standing broad jump, 9 ft. 9 in.; mile bicycle race, 2m. 59s. solid time; 25 mile road race, Irvington-Milburn course, 1h. 38m. Roberts holds the American record for the 225 yards potato race, 51 1-5 seconds. In the mile ride and run two years ago at the Kings county meet Roberts made the world's record of 4m. 17s.

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Notice is hereby given that all claims against the estate of the above named deceased, must be sent in to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Broughton street, Victoria, on or before the 28th day of November, 1892, and all debts owing to the said estate must be paid before that time.

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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 10, Victoria City.

Whereas the Certificate of Title of Joseph Despard Pemberton to the above lot, bearing date the 8th day of April, 1861, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is therefore hereby given such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 4th November, 1892. no4-1mo

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 16 and 17, Group 1, Osoyoos Division of Yale District.

A certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to Forbes George Vernon, on the 14th day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said property, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, October 12, 1892. oc13

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 56, Block H, Victoria West, and Lot 1268 in the City of Victoria.

CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above lots will be issued to Thomas Allsop on the 6th day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, Oct. 4, 1892. oc5

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Lot 433, Victoria City.

Whereas the Certificate of Title of David Sherpser, Aron Simpson and James Morris to the above hereditaments bearing date the 2nd day of September, 1862, has been lost or destroyed and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, October 8, 1892. oc9

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NOTICE.

THURSDAY, the 10th day of November, instant, having been set apart and appointed by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council as a day of General Thanksgiving throughout the Dominion, the Public Offices will be closed on that day.

By Command,

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
2nd November, 1892. no1-td

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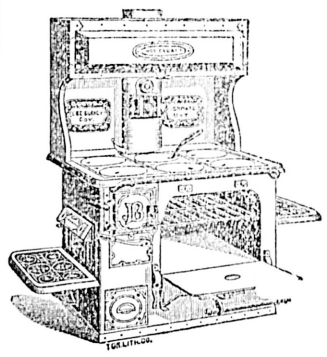

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" 10.12	" 4.31	KOKSILAH	" 10.17	" 3.40
" 10.22	" 4.41	SOMENOS	" 10.12	" 3.41
" 10.48	" 4.54	CHEMAINUS	" 10.36	" 3.34
" 11.00	" 5.16	OYSTER BAY SG	" 9.15	" 2.12
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PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these Presents shall come.—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. G. SMITH, *Deputy Attorney-General.*

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 4 of an Act passed by the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, in the fifty-fifth year of Our reign, intituled, "An Act respecting the Canadian Western Central Railway Company and the Canadian Northern Railway Company," that Part I. of the said Act shall not come into force until proclaimed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council; and whereas Our said Lieutenant-Governor, by and with the advice and consent of His Executive Council, has been pleased by Order in Council in that behalf, to order that the said Part I. of the said Act shall be in force as from this day.

NOW KNOW YE, therefore, that, in pursuance thereof, we do hereby proclaim the said Part 1 of the said Act to be in force from this day.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable HUGH NELSON, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this sixth day of October, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and in the fifty-sixth year of Our Reign.

By command.

JAMES BAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
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GOVERNMENT HOUSE, VICTORIA,
Saturday, the 22nd day of October, 1892.

PRESENT:

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has, under and by virtue of the provisions of the "Supreme Court Act," been pleased, by and with the advice of his Executive Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Rules of Court, intituled "The Supreme Court Rules, 1890," and numbered 1 to 1011, both inclusive, together with the Rules contained in the addenda thereto and numbered 45 (b), 1010 to 1075, (said Rules being printed by the Queen's Printer, at Victoria), shall, on and after the 1st day of January, A.D. 1893, be in force and regulate the practice and proceedings in the Supreme Court of British Columbia with respect to the matters referred to in the said Rules.

And it is hereby further ordered that the Rules of Court now in force relating to the said matters shall be and shall stand repealed from and after the said 1st day of January, A. D. 1893, provided that no proceeding taken before or pending on the said day shall be invalidated or made ineffectual by reason only of such repeal.

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
Deputy Clerk of the Executive Council
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AMENDED NOTICE.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1892.

SPRING ASSIZES.
(On Vancouver Island.)

Victoria	Monday	16th May
Nanaimo	Tuesday	7th June
(On Mainland.)		
New Westminster	Wednesday	1st June
Kamloops	Monday	6th June
Clinton	Monday	13th June

FALL ASSIZE.
(On Mainland.)

Richfield	Monday	12th Sept
Clinton	Wednesday	28th Sept
Kamloops	Monday	3rd Oct
Lytton	Monday	10th Oct
New Westminster	Wednesday	9th Nov
(On Vancouver Island.		
Victoria	Monday	28th Nov
Nanaimo	Tuesday	6th Dec

AUCTION SALES TO BE HELD.

Nov. 9—Sealing Schooner, "E. B. Marvin," G. Byrnes.
Nov. 15—Library, Oil Paintings, etc. Johnson & Co.

THE CITY.

Paid Up.

The fine of $150 and $17 costs, recently levied against Charley, a Saanich Indian, for making bug juice and supplying it to his friends, has been paid.

Dominion Voters' Lists.

Messrs. Hibben & Co. have received the Dominion voters' lists for the province, copies of which can be obtained at their store, Government street.

To a Good House.

The City band, under the leadership of Mr. J. M. Finn, gave a promenade concert, followed by a social dance, at Philharmonic Hall, last evening. The attendance was large.

The Jailed Jap.

Officer Hunter leaves for Nanaimo to-day with the Jap, Joe, in custody. Joe will be lodged in Nanaimo jail, to await his trial at the forthcoming assizes, on a charge of sheep stealing.

Sale of Ladies' Work.

The ladies of St. James' Sewing Society will hold their annual sale of work on Tuesday, November 29. They are already making extensive preparations and have decided to serve high tea.

Everyone Well Pleased.

The Victoria West amateurs gave second and third performances of "Nevada, or the Lost Mine," yesterday afternoon and evening. The audiences were large, the play ran smoothly, and all concerned were satisfied.

Reduced Prices.

The too close contact between Chang Choo, a slant-eyed Mongolian, and a savage dog owned by Mrs. Shaw, has caused an information to be laid charging a malicious wounding on the part of Mrs. Shaw (or the dog). The dog still does business at the old stand, "teeth inserted at reduced prices."

The Thanksgiving Cantata.

The Pandora Avenue Methodist Church choir, assisted by members of the congregation, will render the cantata "The Angel of the Harvest," next Thursday evening. The various numbers are in the hands of people who can render them in a most effective manner, and a musical treat may be looked for.

W. C. T. U. Concert.

The ladies of the W.C.T.U. are arranging for a concert to be given in Temperance hall, Pandora street, on Wednesday evening, November 16. They have already received promises from a number of the best vocalists in the city who will assist, and when the full programme is announced it will be seen that the entertainment will be exceptionally attractive.

Works of Real Merit.

Mr. Sam. Maclure, whom Victorians are proud to claim as a Victorian, is fortunate in being able to see Nature with a poet's eyes, and with an artist's brush preserve her loveliest pictures. He has at present on exhibition, in the window of Mr. Joseph Somers' establishment, a number of water color sketches, "studies" he would call the majority, which for delicacy and grace, as well as fidelity, are remarkable. The distance, air and coloring throughout are remarkably meritorious, while the subjects are well chosen and well treated. At the request of numerous admirers, Mr. Maclure has decided to give instructions to a limited number of pupils in art, and is now back in his old home here for the purpose of commencing the good work.

A Stereopticon Exhibition.

On Monday evening, Nov. 14, an entertaining lecture will be given in the Centenial Methodist church by Mr. N. Shakespeare, who will illustrate his talk with stereopticon views. The subject is "Around the world in 100 minutes." The slides which will be used are all new ones, colored and very accurate, being the best obtainable. They show scenes in Great Britain, China and Japan, Honolulu and the United States. When the journey is about half completed, there will be a brief intermission during which time a short programme of vocal music will be given. The admission price is to be 50 cents. Judging from the popularity of these entertainments and the excellence of the programme, it is safe to say there will be a good attendance.

It will be a Treat.

One of the pleasures to be looked forward to is the entertainment to be given on Thursday evening, November 10, at St. John's school room, Herald street, under the management of St. John's Guild. The story of "Beauty and the Beast," as dramatized, will be presented with the following cast:

Banquempt—A merchant.....H. P. Renwick
Selim } His two sons..... { R. Hayward
Caspar } { K. Hughes
Helena } His three } ..... { L. R. Renwick
Marietta } daughters } ..... { H. Y. Hofercamp
Beauty } { M. A. J. Todd
Prince Virtuous—The beast.....M. Berkeley
Golden Wings—A fairy..... E. G. Saunders
Fairy attendants....E. B. Saunders, M. Glover, R. E. Todd, W. C. Todd.

Archdeacon Scriven has kindly promised to be present and will give a reading. Canon Beanlands will contribute a recitation, and Canon Paddon will read the manager's address, which will contain some very interesting information. The programme furnished is an attractive one, and there will doubtless be a good attendance. The admission price has been fixed at 25 cents.

Ladies' Auxiliary Entertainment.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. propose giving a grand concert and entertainment in the Victoria theatre on Wednesday evening, the 23rd inst. The entertainment will be under the patronage of Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney, Admiral Hotham, Lt.-Col. Holmes, and Mayor Beaven. Among the manifold attractions which will go to make this the banner entertainment of the season may be noted a musical programme which will be rendered by the Warspite band;

A rifle drill to be executed by 30 beautiful young ladies who are being carefully drilled by a sergeant of "C" battery;

A number of fine tableaux, both scenic and statuary. These are being thoroughly practiced and will prove a very attractive feature. Mrs. D. R. Harris has this portion of the programme in hand, and it is enough to say that it will approach perfection.

The most prominent local talent have been secured for the occasion, and no doubt the programme will be of very high quality.

Mr. W. Ralph Higgins, the well-known vocalist, has offered his services, and the public will thus have the pleasure of hearing him for the first time since his return.

These are only a few of the many attractions which will be offered, the whole combined making up a most attractive evening's amusement. The ladies are working hard to perfect the details, and new ideas are being added constantly. The full programme will appear in the near future.

Sealers' Statements.

Collector Milne was busy again yesterday receiving further evidence in the case of the seized sealers and Behring Sea troubles, which he is forwarding for the guidance of the arbitrators, at the request of the Ottawa authorities.

Entries to be In.

There will be a meeting in the Oriental hotel, on Thursday evening next, for the purpose of making final arrangements for the plowing match to be held on the following Saturday. All entries must be in by 8 o'clock on the evening of the meeting.

View Street Extension.

Ald. McKillican proposes to have View street widened or know the reason why. At the next meeting of the City Council he will introduce a by-law for the purpose of extending View street from the northeast corner of lot 1086, thence easterly across the north end of blocks 9 and 10, Spring Ridge, across lots 6 and 8, Spring Ridge, as far as Ormond street, all of a uniform width of 60 feet. This will be done under the provisions of the local improvement by-law. Ald. McKillican feels confident of success in this endeavor.

Mr. George R. Parkin.

Victoria has been honored during the past few days by having as a guest Mr. George R. Parkin, whose "Problems of National Unity" and "Round the Empire" have won him an honored place among the authors of the day. A native of New Brunswick, with an active and well-balanced mind, which has ripened and broadened with extensive travel and the observation of men and manners in all quarters of the globe, Mr. Parkin is a credit to his province. His books have long ago introduced him to Victorians, so that on this, his first visit to the city, he finds that he has already made many friends here.

Lecture on Robert Burns.

A good sized and very appreciative audience turned out to hear Miss Howison in the Sir William Wallace Hall last night. This talented lady delivered a lecture on the life and character of Robert Burns, the strong points in the career of the gifted poet being touched with a masterly eloquence and sympathetic analysis. The lecture was enlivened by several selections from the poems of Burns. These were read in a manner which showed the lecturer to be an elocutionist of unusual power and culture. The frequent applause from the delighted audience testified to their appreciation of the very pleasing and instructive entertainment.

Australian Travel.

Mr. Jas. O. Callender, of Sydney, N. S. W., brother of Mr. G. M. Callender, of Vancouver, leaves San Francisco by the Mariposa, on November 10. Mr. Callender has been three years in Australia. He says there is not the least doubt that a good line of steamers plying between Sydney and British Columbia would at once do half the passenger business between Australia and America. The present line offers very poor accommodation, and the people down there would prefer the Canadian route. He for one, after trying the Red Sea and Mediterranean twice, will, however, advise his friends to come by San Francisco and America as the pleasanter.

Knocked Down by a Grocery Wagon.

Another nasty accident happened as a result of fast driving on Yates street, opposite Campbell's corner, last evening, when an aged deaf mute named Garnor was knocked down and run over by a grocery wagon driven by Clements, a man who works for J. B. Johnson. The vehicle was at the time coming down Yates street, and although there were several crossing the street at the time—among whom was Mr. Geo. Young, who also narrowly escaped being run over by the same wagon—the driver did not appear to pay any attention to the pedestrians. No doubt the driver will be summoned by the police to-day and held responsible for his actions. The deaf and dumb man was severely bruised and cut around the body, especially where the wheels of the wagon passed over him, but it is not thought his injuries are serious.

The Lay of the Last Pumpkin.

Mr. W. H. Snider, of Spring Ridge, received a large pumpkin yesterday as a present from his friend and neighbor, Barrister S. Perry Mills. The pumpkin was grown by Mr. Mills at his residence on Fernwood road; it measured 4 feet 6 inches in circumference and weighed nearly, if not quite, 100 pounds. Mr. Mills had still another pumpkin, larger than the one placed in evidence, but which was not weighed. The circumstance of the presentation led the COLONIST poet to emerge from his grave and remark:

Mr. Mills, he had a pumpkim,
And it grew and it grew,
And it grew upon a vine,
Its size was six by nine,
And he said "It is a fine,"
And it grew.

"Oh what with my big pumpkin,
Shall I do? shall I do?
And so he stood beside her,
Often tried he to decide her,
Then said to Mr. Snider,
It's for you."

Frederick Street Fire.

Chief of Fire Department Deasy yesterday made a thorough investigation of the premises, No. 23 Frederick street, where the fire of the night before occurred. Evidence was secured which leaves but little doubt of the incendiary origin of the blaze. The fire evidently started in the bath room, and made its way up the wall and through the roof. On the other side of the wall, and close down in the corner, there was found a small blaze which had evidently been started at the same time as the other, but not having such a good chance had fallen behind. Still another smouldering blaze was found in one of the bedrooms, started by placing a bundle of paper and splinters of wook in a glass filled with coal oil down in the corner of a large empty clothes press. This had been started at the same time as the others, but owing to the air tightness of the closet the fire had been smothered and had just eaten its way through the closet when it was found. A search through the three bedrooms showed that the pillows and mattresses had all been saturated with oil, the blankets having first been removed. Here and there were bunches of newspapers, all soaked with oil, and some half dozen lamps, in different parts of the house, were all full. The whole place in fact, with the exception of the parlor, had evidently been liberally dosed. Under the circumstances the department did very well to save the place. The authorities have no doubt about the origin of the fire and propose to make it warm for some one.

Lett's Diaries at Hibben & Co's.

☞For property at Alberni, see James O'Neill, head agent, 104 Yates street, Clarence Block, Victoria, B. C.

WEIGHT WILL TELL.

The Stalwart Rugby Men from Nanaimo Defeat the Navy's Splendid Team.

Football Matches at Beacon Hill—Trotting and Pacing for Records and Gold.

An excellent game of football was played on the Canteen field, Esquimalt, yesterday afternoon, between the Navy Rugby Union Football club and the Nanaimo club. Owing to the absence of the Melpomene, Hyacinth, Daphne and Nymphe, the Navy were six men short in their best team, but the vacant places were well filled by half-a-dozen bluejackets. The Nanaimo team also missed the services of a few of their best men, including J. H. Hawthornthwaite, the captain. These vacancies were also filled by picked men, so that both teams faced the ball as equally matched as could be desired.

Of the two, perhaps, the Nanaimos carried most weight, but this was counterbalanced by the fleet footedness and "drill" of their opponents. The ball was set in motion shortly after three o'clock, and the ground being somewhat heavy as the result of recent rains play was slow at the beginning. But the boys soon warmed to their work, and a very exciting game was the result. The Navy men sent the leather well into the enemy's camp, which put the Nanaimos on their mettle, and some desperate struggles ensued. The visitors, being the heaviest men, got in some splendid work in the scrimmages, but once the ball was forced to the open the Navy men were happy.

Everybody worked with all his might, and for several minutes together the forwards on both sides appeared to be fairly grouped in the centre of the field, leaving little for the backs to do. When a good kick or pass was made the effect was but temporary, and in nine cases out of ten a scrimmage ensued, in which the heavy weights had the best of it. After quarter of an hour's hard play one of the blue jackets worked the ball close to the posts, and a well directed kick by Sir. R. K. Arbuthnot sent it through, thus scoring one for the Navy.

When time was again called it found the Navy men as determined to score a second goal as the visitors were that the Navy should not. No sooner was the ball well out than it became evident that the contest was to be a spirited one. Some excellent passes followed, and, as was the case at the opening of the match, invariably ended in heavy scrimmages. In fact, the game was one of scrimmages. Bevilockway, for Nanaimo, secured a touch, which was not, however, improved by Potts, and it fell to the lot of Bamford, by a free kick, to secure the next try, which was converted into a goal by Potts. When time was called the play stood—Nanaimo, one goal and a try; Navy, one goal.

The game throughout was good-humoredly conducted, and at its conclusion the visitors were hospitably entertained by the vanquished club.

JAMES BAY JUNIOR VS. SUNFLOWER.

These clubs played their second game of Rugby football at the Hill, yesterday afternoon, when the James Bays downed their opponents by a score of six points to nil. During the first half the Bays had a trifle the best of it, Stephens and Anderson on different occasions almost scoring. No score however resulted until about a minute before half time, when Anderson secured the ball and landed a neat goal.

Shortly after the teams changed ends Smith made a nice kick down the field and McMicking following up well, secured it, and crossed the line, thus scoring second blood for James Bays. Anderson took the kick, which was a difficult one, but did not convert.

This put the Sunflowers on their mettle, and Genn, Marshall and Short made repeated attempts to score but were always met by the splendid tackling of Wrigleswortb, Anderson and McCullock. "No side" was called without further score,

Besides those above mentioned F. Smith, Mowat and Hardy did yeoman service for the winners, and Jorand, the Trimen brothers and Courtney played up well for the losers. Mr. Brimstone filled the difficult position of referee with satisfaction.

AGAIN THE TWENTY.

The match played at Beacon Hill yesterday afternoon between the first fifteen and the other members of the Victoria Rugby Union football club, resulted in a success for the latter players, although several of their best were absent.

VICTORIA V. BLUE JACKETS.

In fine, but very windy weather, these teams met at Beacon Hill, yesterday. The sailors won the toss and chose to play with the sun and very high wind at their backs. These advantages were neutralised by the fine combination of the Victoria forwards, who at once began to press. Fairly even play resulted for the opening quarter of an hour, when Victoria forced two corners, which gave no result. Shortly after this Victoria obtained their first goal. This roused the sailors, who played harder, and were able to equalise soon after. Just before half time Victoria secured another goal from a very warm scrum in front of goal, and crossed over leading by two goals to one.

With the benefit of the wind they at once pressed hard, but were repeatedly repulsed by the splendid saving of the Blue Jackets' goal keeper. The remainder of the game was very hot for the back division of the sailors, and despite their efforts Victoria notched three more goals and ran out the winners of a capital game by five goals to one. Of these Selkirk, Cartwright, Spring, Goward, claimed one each, the remaining one resulting from a scrum. The sailors are to be congratulated on their goalkeeper, who by his fine play, saved some marvelous shots.

WANT ANOTHER GAME.

The Victoria Lacrosse club's football team has been requested to play the Victoria Football club a return game, as the latter are not satisfied with their defeat a week ago, and state that they will put on a team sufficiently strong to turn the tables on the lacrosse boys. While the V. F. C. team will be somewhat stronger than last match, the V. L. C. team will be practically the same that won the match a week ago. Arrangements are now being made to have the game played at Beacon Hill at 2:30 o'clock next Thursday (Thanksgiving Day).

JUNIORS DO GOOD WORK.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 5.—(Special.)—The junior and senior Rugbys had a scrub match to-day, when the juniors did some magnificent work, Thomas and Myers deserving special mention.

WHIST.

IN THE LEAD.

The whist tournament was continued last night at the Fire Hall, when Hines and Whitcombe beat Burns and Neill. There are six others yet to play ere the tournament is brought to a close. Play will be resumed to-morrow night.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 5.—Yale defeated Wesleyan, to-day.

THE RING.

NO MORE FINISH FIGHTS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5. — Jack McAuliff, champion light-weight pugilist of the world, said yesterday that he would surely keep his promise of never fighting to a finish again. Said he:

"I am waiting anxiously for Dick Burge, Jem Carney's conqueror, to arrive in this country. If he is willing to meet me in a limited round contest I will accommodate him, but under no circumstances will I fight to a finish. I am in receipt of a communication from Billy Meyer's backer, who is at present in Chicago, to the effect that he is anxious for me to box the 'Streator Cyclone' ten rounds. As yet I have not made any reply. He wants the affair to come off at Battery "D," Chicago."

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The following cable, regarding the proposed fistic encounters, was received by Richard K. Fox: "LONDON, Nov. 5.—Mitchell and Hall have decided to leave the choice of club contests to take place first to Corbett and Fitzsimmons."

"Mitchell and Hall are willing to fight in either club, but both contests must take place in the same club as they select. When Corbett and Fitzsimmons name this club, they will post £1,000 and £500, the former amount to bind the Mitchell and Corbett fight, and the latter amount to bind the Fitzsimmons and Hall match, with the Police Gazette. The same amounts will be deposited with Richard K. Fox by Mitchell and Hall. The articles of agreement can then be forwarded for Mitchell and Hall's signature. Both Mitchell and Hall mean business."

THE TURF.

THE SMALL FRY.

STOCKTON, Cal., Nov. 5.—Truman, the famous 4-year-old stallion, reduced his record to-day. His record now is 2:12; formerly it was 2:13½. W. Wood, the pacer, promised to beat his record, but broke in the last quarter. He will try again next week.

SILKWOOD'S SUCCESS.

SANTA ANA, Cal., Nov. 5.—A match race between the stallions Our Dick and Silkwood, each holding a record of 2:10½, took place to-day, and was won by Silkwood in three straight heats. Time, 2:08¼, 2:11¼, 2:14. The race was for $2,500 a side and a purse of $1,500.

YACHTING.

MEASURING FOR RACES.

The rating of yachts for racing is a subject which is receiving considerable attention from the yacht clubs of both England and America at the present time. The New Whatcom International Yachting association have not adopted any rule as yet, and are anxious to hear the opinions of those interested in such matters.

President Leming, of Whatcom, is in favor of length measure only. He states that when the New York Yachting association was organized, this question of racing length was decided in a manner so satisfactory, that no just complaint of unfairness has ever arisen; and the majority of clubs in the country have adopted the association rule, which is simple, sportsmanlike, and free from the complications that always cause trouble in clubs which use tonnage and sail-area rules. The association rule measures a yacht by this formula:

$$\frac{\text{Length over deck, plus water-line length.}}{2}$$

Equals sailing measure.

That is to say one-half of the overhang of the stern is allowed.

On the other hand, a correspondent of the Boston Globe writes as follows in favor of the present rule, his points being worthy of a careful consideration by all interested:

"While the discussion as to the best measurement rule for next year's racing is arousing interest among yachtsmen, a brief plea for the continuance of the present rule should not be out of place. It is reasonable to suppose that a waterline length rule pure and simple, would produce the "brute" type of boat, for the avoidance of which the sail area rule was designed. Large sail plans would surely be used if they were not taxed. This means a dangerous boat, especially when of the centreboard type; a boat harder to handle, requiring a larger crew, better construction to stand the strain and consequently greater expense for construction and maintenance, and altogether a more unhandy type.

PERSONAL.

Robert Wood, of Westminster, is in town.
C. A. Field, San Francisco, is at the Driard.
Hugh Grant returned North by the Danube.
Forrest Angus, of Vancouver, is in the city.
Thos. Haughton came over from the Sound, yesterday.
A. Cunningham and S. A. Spencer went North last evening.
W. Jensen was a passenger North by the Danube, yesterday.
Denis Murphy, of Lac La Hache, will practise law here.
W. F. Topping was a passenger from the Mainland, last evening.
George R. Parkin, London, England, is registered at the Driard.
Dr. W. B. Hall and wife, of Tacoma, are registered at the Balmoral.
S. Sandover and wife were passnegers from the Sound, yesterday.
Capt. H. G. Lewis, shipping master, returned from Vancouver, yesterday.
A. R. Wolfenden and Dr. Graham were passengers by the Islander, last night.
F. W. Clemes, Hamilton, Ont., and Robert C. Miller, London, Ont., are at the Driard.
Henry Huggins, of Tacoma, arrived last night and is visiting at E. E. Blackwood's residence.
Mrs. Bridges has returned from St. Joseph's hospital, and is prepared to take her pupils again.
C. F. Morris, of the Germania Life Insurance Co., came home by last night's Mainland steamer.
Rev. Father Althoff, who has been attending the dedication services of the new Cathedral, will leave for Alaska on the next steamer.
Among yesterday's guests at the Oriental were: W. E. Heiger, Port Townsend; W. Wilcon, Duncan's; Thos. Grafton, Howe Sound, and Robt. Ward, of Spallumcheen.
Thomas Hooper, R. Roskell Bayne, J. G. Tiarks, C. J. Soule and H. B. Smith, returned last evening from Vancouver, where they have been attending the Institute of Architects' meeting, just closed.

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A YOUNG man in Texas started to town the other day to get a marriage license, but the clerk had sold out. He invested in a pair of shoes and went home perfectly satisfied.

A YOUNG man named M. W. Smith arrived at the mining town of Cripple Creek, Col., with $33 in his pocket. He began peddling peanuts and popcorn, and in sixty days cleared $3,000.

IT is claimed that a double-yolked egg was hatched by a hen near Gettysburg recently. The farmer was greatly amazed to find two little chicks grown together after the fashion of the Siamese twins.

SOME boys in Murray county, Ga., claim that they saw a blacksnake run at full speed down a steep hill and jump ten feet high and capture a sapsucker, which was drilling a hole in the bark of a pine tree with its sharp beak.

A STARTLING variation of the snake story comes from Rome, Ga. A gentleman, seeing a snake lying on the road, prodded it with his umbrella. The snake straightened its body, spread out two long wings like a goose, arose in the air, and flew across the field.

CAUGHT BY THE CENSUS.

IN Philadelphia there is one home to every five inhabitants.

THE number of dwellings in the United States in 1891 was 8,955,812.

THE population of the United States in the last ten years has increased twenty per cent.; its output of new books, one hundred per cent.

A GENERAL census of Costa Rica recently completed shows a population of 243,205. San Jose is the most populous province with 76,718 inhabitants.

CHICAGO now has a population of 1,500,000, according to an estimate based on the canvass made for the city directory just issued. This is an increase of about 300,000 over the school census of 1890.

THE block which probably has the largest population of any in the world is in New York, bounded by Avenues B and C, Second and Third avenues. It has a population of 3,500 or at the surprising rate of 1,000,000 to the square mile.

THE NEWSPAPERS.

THE Paris Petit Journal has now reached the enormous circulation of 1,250,000 copies daily.

THE smallest newspaper in the world is El Telegram, published in Guadalajara, Mexico. It is four inches square.

NONE of the leading London journals publish a Sunday edition, and an American paper which made an attempt to establish one in that city failed for a large sum.

AN Indiana paper found it necessary to publish the following correction: "For 'Burglar Meeting' in the heading of an article in our last issue relating to the proceedings of the town council, read 'Regular Meeting.'"

TWO YEARS ago, when the shah returned home from Europe, there were no newspapers in Persia, but he was so impressed with their value as agents in the spread of intelligence that he set about founding a few through a ministry of the press that he established. Now there are twelve.

IN CAB AND CAR.

AN express engine consumes ten gallons of water per mile.

THE railways of the world are worth quite a lot of money—£6,000,000,000.

AN engine on the Central railroad of New Jersey has run a mile at the rate of 91.7 miles an hour.

IT is estimated that $400,000,000 gold of British capital has been invested in the railways of the Argentine Republic.

THE distance between division points for changing engines has been increasing in this country and some roads are now running engines from 200 to 300 miles, where they used to run 100 miles or less.

THERE are nearly 200,000 miles of railway in the United States. And yet the time is easily within the memory of middle-aged men when the total railway mileage of the country was less than 10,000 miles.

DYING WORDS OF NOTED MEN.

"IT is well."—Washington.

"DON'T give up the ship."—Lawrence.

"DON'T let poor Nellie starve."—Charles II.

"I'M shot if I don't believe I'm dying."—Thurlow.

"JAMES, take good care of the horse."—Winfield Scott.

"DON'T let that awkward squad fire over my grave."—Burns.

"TO DIE for liberty is a pleasure and not a pain."—Marco Bozarris.

"INTO Thy hands, O Lord, I commend my spirit."—Christopher Columbus.

"I WANT nothing, and I am looking for nothing but Heaven."—Phil. Melanethon.

"WE are all going to Heaven, and Vandyke is of the company."—Gainsborough.

NOTES FROM CHINA.

THE foreign trade of China last year aggregated $250,000,000.

THE Chinese gardeners are the most expert fruit growers in the world.

THE Chinese national debt is one of the smallest, amounting to only $38,500,000.

THE Chinese have their tombs built in a semi-circular form, like a horseshoe, and the Moors use the same form in their architecture.

THE Chinese razor has the shape of an isosceles triangle. It is made of rude steel and many of them are pounded up from worn-out horseshoes.

CHINESE annals remote as 2,000 B. C. speak of the cultivation of tea, and classify it almost as perfectly as is done to-day. Its virtues were discovered by accident.

A Question of Hairpins.

The chief distinction between the appearance of the male and female Japanese lies in the hair. The men shave nearly the whole of the head, while the women allow the hair to grow and even add to it by art when required. It is then twisted and coiled into elaborate and fantastic patterns which few eastern hairsdressers could imitate or equal. The hairpins used are not so much for confining the locks in their places as for actual adornment and are very fashionable. They are of enormous size, seven or eight inches in length and half an inch wide, and are made of various substances, tortoise shell, carved wood and ivory, many of them being composed of carved figures adroitly pivoted so as to appear to dance at every breath drawn by the wearer. Others are made of glass and are hollow and nearly filled with some bright-colored liquid, so that at every movement of the head an air bubble runs from one end of the pin to the other, producing a most curious effect in a strong light. Sometimes an extra fashionable woman will wear a dozen or more of these pins in her hair, so that at a little distance her head looks as if a bundle of firewood had been loosely stuck into it. The higher in rank the Japanese woman the more elaborate her coiffure is likely to be.—The Gentlewoman.

Falling in Love.

The best authorities say that whoever desires to experience the passion of love at its fullest perfection must not be too young. It is as inconsistent to seek for the constant and devoted heart beneath the striped flannels of an undergraduate as to look for it within the bodice of a raw school girl, who may fall down and worship the first man that crosses her path. In order to fall in love vigorously and satisfactorily a man must have arrived at the age of reason. He must have outlived, that is to say, all that went to make him hare-brained, impetuous or incapable of gauging the strength of his emotions, while at the same time he must not have entered that barren and desolate region which is strewn with dead illusions and shattered idols. He must have come to know, of course, that "all is not gold that glitters," while retaining his appreciation of the precious metal when it is pure and unalloyed. The sensation of heart-hunger which comes to most men at some period of their lives must not have been succeeded by that of either repletion or satiety, and he should still be a believer in true and disinterested affection, while admitting and deploring the rarity of the phenomenen.—Philadelphia Times.

One of the Causes of Famine.

The wanton despoiling of Russian forests during these last thirty years has led to such widespread devastation in the woodlands that industrial western Europe is at present richer in woods than central Russia. The havoc wrought in the forests has had the result that the abundance of water in rivers and inland lakes has decreased; that immense masses of quicksand have been formed, which encroach steadily upon the cultivated land; that the Russian territory is becoming desiccated and nature impoverished; that the temperature in summer has increased by three degrees and decreased in winter to the same amount. Prof. Bogdanow, who has diligently studied these subjects for years, predicts, upon the above grounds, that the metamorphosis of the "black earth" into a desert will be accomplished within the next century, unless this destruction of woods be proceeded against with ruthless energy.—German Agricultural Journal.

Realism vs. Idealism.

The aspiring genius had written a play which he called "A Tramp" and which by some occult influence he had succeeded in getting a manager to read.

"I think you said this was a realistic play?" said the manager when he had finished it.

"Yes, sir," assented the author 'twixt hope and fear.

"And it works up to several fine climaxes."

"I am glad you think so, sir."

"Well, it does, but it won't do. It is altogether ideal."

"I don't quite—" but the manager interrupted him with a wave of his hand.

"Who ever heard of a tramp working up to anything?" he said, tauntingly. "I tell you it is purely ideal and the people won't have it. Change the title and I'll talk to you," and the title was changed.—Detroit Free Press.

The Way of the Transgressor.

Jepson had married his wife for no other reason in the world except that she had money, though he lied to her like a pirate, and she thought it was a love match. Naturally wedded life was not sweet, and Jepson was getting the bitterest end of it. One day he met a friend.

"By George!" he exclaimed, "that wife of mine will drive me crazy."

"What's the matter now?" inquired the friend, consolingly.

"You know my wife has $150,000, and you know I married her for it and got it. There is no use of lying about that any further."

The friend bowed in acquiescence.

"Well, do you know that she has divided the whole thing up into sums of $100 each, and proposes to have me arrested 1,500 times for obtaining money under false pretenses? Think of that, will you? Did you ever hear of such a woman?" And Jepson went into a spasm.—Detroit Free Press.

A Quaint Inscription.

An Indian known to the whites as "Billy" was the last of his race to disappear in Bucks county, except his wife. They lived at Wrightstown. When Billy died many years ago, his wife had a friend to inscribe the following lines upon a stone, which she carried with her: "I am Indian Bill's wife; he loved me better than his life. It even has been said by some he loved me better than his rum." This stone, which was buried with her, was plowed up lately.—Philadelphia Record.

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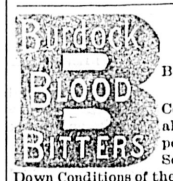

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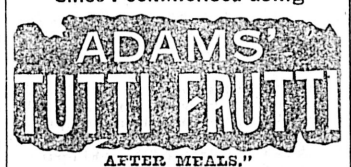

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The best for lawns.
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USE THE GERMAN MAGIC PILE CURE.
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TENDERS

Tenders For Coal and Wood.

SEALED TENDERS,

Endorsed "Tenders for Fuel," will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of
FRIDAY, 11TH NOVEMBER,
For supplying the
GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS, James Bay,
The LAW COURTS, Bastion Square,
And GOVERNMENT HOUSE, with fuel.

Tenders must state the name and quality of the coal proposed to be supplied, and the price per ton of 2000 lbs; and the price per cord of dry pine wood cut in 12 inch lengths, to be delivered promptly in such quantities, and at such times as may be ordered.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Land and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 4th Nov., 1892. no5

TENDERS.

In the matter of the goods of Robt. H. Ward, Deceased Intestate,

Tenders will be received by the undersigned at their office, Bastion street, on behalf of Wm. Monteith, Official Administrator, up to noon of Thursday, the 10th day of November instant, for the purchase of 157 shares of the "National Electric Tramway & Lighting Co'y. Ld." (fully paid up).
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., 4th November, 1892.
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for the Official Administrator.
(Times Copy.) no4-1w

TENDERS.

Sale of Stock, Etc., of Thomas McConnon, Deceased, Intestate.

Tenders will be received up to noon of Thursday, the tenth day of November instant, at so much on the dollar, inventory price, for the purchase of the stock of the above mentioned estate, amounting to $2,187.75. This is a new and well selected stock of books and stationery. Inspection of the stock and inventory can be had on application to William Monteith, the Official Administrator, Five Sisters' Block, Victoria. Terms cash.
Dated at Victoria, 3rd November, 1892.
THORNTON FELL,
no3 Solicitor for the Administrator.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders will be received up to noon, Tuesday, 8th inst., for the erection of a Frame and Iron Building, facing south-west corner of Douglas St. and Queen's Ave., for A. Keating, Esq.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JOHN TEAGUE,
no3 td Architect.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, 2nd December next, for the collection of letters from the Street Letter Boxes in the City of Victoria, on a proposed contract for four years, twice daily each way, from the 1st of January next.
The conveyance to be made on horseback or in a vehicle, at the option of the contractor.
Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract, and the locations of Street Letter Boxes, may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Victoria, and at this office.
E. H. FLETCHER,
P. O. Inspector.
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, B. C., 21st October, 1892. no5-3t

TENDERS FOR STEAM SERVICE.

VICTORIA, NANAIMO AND COMOX.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tender for Steam Service, British Columbia," will be received at the Finance Department, Ottawa, up to and including Wednesday, the thirtieth day of November next, for the performance of the following services, viz.:—
(a.) Two round trips each week between Nanaimo and Comox;
(b.) Two round trips each week between Nanaimo and Victoria.
Full particulars as to the ports to be called at, size, etc. of steamers, and other terms and conditions of tender may be obtained from the Postmasters at Victoria, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Vancouver, or from the undersigned.
The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
J. M. COURTNEY,
Deputy Minister of Finance.
Finance Department,
Ottawa, 18th Oct., 1892. oc30-6t-su-th

In re JULIUS F. GALBRAITH

**** SALE ****
—OF—
10 1-2 LOTS
BY TENDER,
Vancouver - - Townsite
TO RELEASE A MORTGAGE.

I offer for sale by tender the following desirable property on False Creek, viz: In Section 261 A, Block 69, 33 feet lots:
FIVE WATER LOTS, Nos. 14, 15, 16, 17, 18.
THREE LOTS on Southern cross street, Nos. 11, 12, 13.
ONE AND HALF LOTS on Clark Drive, Nos. 4 and south half 3.
ONE LOT on Northern cross street, No. 28.
Taxes paid to 31st December, 1892. The whole are comprised in one Deed, and are offered together. Terms cash. Tenders to be marked "Tender for Property," and addressed to W. Skene, P. O. Box 248, Vancouver, accompanied by a marked cheque for fifty dollars as deposit. Tenders will be opened on Wednesday, 12th October, at 4 p.m., in the presence of Geo. J. Wilson, Esq., and unsuccessful applications, with deposits, will be returned by mail.
WM. SKENE,
Assignee.
N.B.—Corresponding ten lots in same section held by owner at $2,500. oc6

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Royal - Jubilee - Hospital
FREE VACCINATION
At the above Institution every Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. oc23

See Our Overcoats, Pea Jackets, Mackintoshes, Melissa and Rigby Waterproofs, Winter Suits, Etc.
FOR MEN AND BOYS. GOOD VALUE. LOW PRICES.
B. WILLIAMS & CO'Y, 97 JOHNSON STREET

NYE ON HIS ESTATE.

A New Windmill and a Plumbers' Picnic—A Few Facts About Windmills

And a Rule for Calculating the Horsepower Advantages of City and Country.

[Copyright, 1892, by Edgar W. Nye.]

ARDEN, N. C., October, 1892.

October is the choicest month in the year in these parts. Geraniums and ham should now be potted for winter. The farmer now looks over his cows and selects the milk cows from the others because they are more apt to produce milk. Corn should be housed and plowing done. Here we have a light, calcareous soil, which is soothing to the bare feet of the peasant, and sometimes produces a large green worm called the tobacco worm.

He is not so plentiful in this state as formerly, having gone farther south, where he can get his tobacco cheaper. Here, too, he found a good deal of com-

THE SNUFF DIPPER.

petition. The tobacco worm has no other occupation on earth than to use tobacco. Here he found that others had already entered the field before him and undertaken to subsist entirely upon tobacco and rest. Therefore the tobacco worm is less plentiful now in North Carolina than formerly. Tobacco is also 25 per cent. less in quantity here this fall than formerly, but of good quality. The brightest and most fragrant tobacco for smoking is grown in this state. It smells as sweet as clover and is not injurious to health.

Snuff is not grown here, and so sometimes when there is a blockade or washout on the railroad snuff cannot be readily landed at our doors, and there is a great deal of suffering. Nobody nose how much there is.

Snuff is not administered up the nose here, however, among those who use it, but is kept in a neat little bonbonniere, or gourd, and a small wooden stick made of birch, chewed into a brush at one end, is ever and anon dipped into the snuff and then chewed thoroughly or rubbed back and forth over the gooms.

Only the hoi polloi use snuff here—the hoi polloi lady, I mean. If you see her coming down a vista of brilliant autumn coloring, a somber figure in the gaudy perspective, you will notice that she dexterously jerks something out of her mouth and conceals it in her apron, trying as you pass to look all wrapped up in the contemplation of nature.

She has just removed her snuff stick, or, as I may say, half in jest, the handle of the dipper is removed. Here one finds among the peasantry children hardly done with their milk teeth using snuff in this way. So we have the Little Dipper and the Big Dipper.

The snuff stick or brush is left dangling in the corner of the mouth as little young children in the absence of the mother hold a corner of cloth that has been wrapped around a bit of sugar, "and the same with intent to deceive."

Arden is not a large place, but it is a good site for one. There are two general stores and a blacksmith shop. Lately there is a shooting scrape on Saturdays.

Since I have been digging my well I have put a good deal of money in circulation. This has made flush times in western North Carolina, and some lawlessness. Human life at one time was so lightly valued while this stream of gold was flowing in that I had to shut down work on my well till times should tighten up a little.

Lately I have been putting in a windmill at the estate. This, too, has let a flood of wealth into the channels of trade. Eggs went up to 8½ cents, and good eggs were worth a shilling.

I had been reading about windmills and determined to buy one. At first I thought I would buy one of those dear old windmills of Southampton and Europe which the artists rave about, but this one will be dear enough by the time I get through with it.

The mill arrived last April and was put on the ground early in that month. A plumber from Asheville was employed to put it up. Eight men were sent out here by train to put the mill up. They did not know how to put up a windmill, and so a preparatory school had to be opened here to give instructions. I paid the tuition. Special trains carried my plumbers to and from Asheville. It was a pleasant sight to see those plumbers on their way, with bright, expectant faces, toward the place where they were learning how to plumb at my expense.

The scheme was spoken of around here as "Nye's Fresh Air Fund." Every little while I could hear some one say, "There goes the plumbers' picnic."

I live fourteen miles from Asheville, and ran out of terrapin one day. This caused much adverse comment among the plumbers, and before it could be smothered by kind words some nightingales' tongues, with au jus on them, were scorched a little by our chef, and I could see that the plumbers in a well bred way were irritated. This grew till the following week, when their discontent became so great that they suddenly put up the mill and went away. I did not think at first that they would ever go. But they did.

Possibly the windmill also may do so some day. I thought that as soon as the plumbers stood back from it and gave it air it might go, but it has not. A well known physician and scientist here says that so much of the climate is required by the invalids who come here that there is not enough left to run a windmill.

I am arranging now, however, to club in with Mr. Beale, a neighbor of mine, who owns a bicycle with pneumatic tires, so that we can get our wind elsewhere in large quantities for filling his pneumatic tires and running my windmill the year round.

The mill looks very picturesque when in motion, but it takes the time of a man and team to run it while they ought to be doing something else.

Windmills were first used in the Twelfth century. In Holland they are used yet, the scientists say, in draining the polders and grinding the trass. I have about decided to drain my polders and grind my trass by hand. My windmill makes a good place to dry clothes on, and nothing could be better to keep butter in than my well.

Windmills are extensively used in California about Stockton for irrigation, and a big farm or vineyard there looks like a large bed of them in full bloom. But here the wind is not strong, and an effort to raise it, I find, is only partially successful

I read of a windmill in Faversham that in ten weeks raised 21,000,000 gallons of water from a depth of 109 feet, thus saving 100 tons of coal, or say $550. In fifty-two weeks this windmill would have saved $2,860. This with what vegetables we can raise here would almost run our house. By taking a boarder or two one could retire from active work and thus avoid attracting unpleasant comment.

The post windmill was the earliest wind engine and had to be pulled about to face the wind. It was succeeded by the smock or frock mill which consisted of a stationary tower and movable gearing for the miller. The American windmill is said to be the best made, and even mine, I am sure, would work if air could be supplied. An asphyxiated windmill is a sad sight.

For finding the horsepower of windmills I give the following rule. It is for the old mill with sails, but might be fixed up to apply to American mills:

Let n equal number of sails.

Let A equal area of each sail in square feet.

Let V equal velocity of wind in feet per second.

Then the horsepower of the mill is:

$$\frac{n\ A\ V3}{1,660,000}$$

In other words, that is the number of horses it will take to work the mill on a still day.

After the campaign is over and the rainbow retrievers and spellbinders get home, and prices are cheaper on such labor, I am going to try a joint debate on this windmill, if everything else should fail.

The well is still dark and cheerless. A large blacksnake tried to cross it two weeks ago, but missed his footing and fell to the bottom, a distance of over 100 feet. When we got him out he was out of his head at first, but finally recognized me, smiled faintly and died.

SMILED FAINTLY AND DIED.

The Evening Telegram has recently requested a brief expression of opinion from city, suburban and country residents regarding the relative merits of the three. I have tried them all, and though of course I have not tried all cities, all suburbs or all countries, I am free to state that the suburb is in my opinion the least desirable place of residence. The city is an excellent place for the residence of those who prefer to reside there, but there are very few men in my acquaintance who do not dream and hope for a quiet home in the country some day.

If one lives in the country he may go to the city for a visit and enjoy it much more than if he lived there. If he live in the country he may have a dozen neighbors whose friendship he values more than that of a whole city full, for they are naturally more near and more intimate. Five minute calls are extended into friendly visits of an hour or two, during which thoughts may occur and be given expression.

One may also have his old, good and tried friend come to see him and stay a fortnight.

People, however, are not alike, and so while I may enjoy chasing the curculio out of my orchard of an afternoon and a good book under the shade of a mountainous mahogany or a few plunks on the lute when the bulbul sings in the black gum tree, others may cling to the swift rushing elevated car platform, with congested traffic passing too and fro over their feet, enjoying it thoroughly.

There are people who need this sort of excitement just as there are people who crave exciting and immoral books, sensational papers, views of the morgue, cheap dramas and rum, but to the quiet and thoughtful man, who loves to commune with nature and be where he feels free to remove a woodtick by rolling up the leg of his trousers in the presence of the squirrels and robins only, the roar and the rush of the city, the strain of nerve, brain, muscle and soul, weary and sadden him.

When I was in New York the other day to pay my club dues and get a new set of double harness and a red plow for my farm I went upstairs to the Twenty-third street station of the Sixth avenue elevated, and as I got half way up I heard an approaching train. You have all been at that point on the stairs where you thought by hurrying you could make that train, and if you did not you might miss a Washington train at Jersey City.

I made a great effort, snatched a dime, got my ticket and without my change or my breath made a jump at the iron gate of the car as it slowly moved away. It was the old story. I tried to look like one who did not care especially for that train, though my rapid, clover scented breath said otherwise. I looked up at the gateman to watch his ghoulish triumph as usual while the train moved on.

He slowly opened the gate and said: "Hello, Mr. Nye! Hop on, but be careful about it."

Many will not believe this, but it is true. He was a man of forty to forty-five years of age, with iron gray hair. I wish that I had taken his number. I thanked him heartily and wired my agent up town to add $2,000 to the former price of my Eighty-third street property.

BILL NYE.

P. S.—I have been told since that the above was a sporadic case and likely to develop into an epidemic. B. N.

THE IONA'S OFFENCE

To be Judged To-Morrow—Passengers by the Danube—Marine Movements.

The case of the Iona will come up tomorrow for hearing, and it is believed that, so strong is the evidence against the steamer, that no defence will be made. She is charged with carrying passengers without a license. The passengers, or cargo, in this case, it will be remembered, were Chinamen, who were being smuggled to the other side.

INCOMING PASSENGERS.

The steamship Umatilla, which left San Francisco for Victoria yesterday, has the following saloon passengers on board for this port: T. Harper, Mrs. S. Lerry, Mrs. Laird and daughter, S. J. Goodfellow and four children, Mrs. C. W. Craig, W. Palmer, A. McNab, Lee Yik Soon, H. P. Ramage and F. Kidlaw.

LUMBER LADEN FOR SYDNEY.

The U.S. schooner Lyman D. Foster, Captain Dwyer, has finished loading her cargo of lumber for Sydney at the Moodyville Saw Mill. She has 821,488 feet of rough lumber, 768 bundles of laths, and 6,000 pickets, the whole of which is valued at $7,817.

MARINE NOTES.

The boiler which was taken out of the hull of the little steamer Burt, yesterday, is to be utilized in supplying steam for the wreck San Pedro. Spratt's Ark will come in from the wreck to-day and take the boiler on board.

Steamer Danube, Capt. Meyer, departed for the North last evening, having a small freight and several passengers, among whom were: S. A. Spencer, Mr. Rubilard, A. Cunningham, H. Grant, W. Jensen, and W. Robinson.

A gang of laborers commenced discharging the cargo of the bark Chili yesterday morning, but owing to the donkey engine breaking down, the work was abandoned until to-morrow.

Steamer Columbia, from Portland, arrived at San Francisco yesterday, and the steamers Homer, for Portland, Umatilla for Victoria, and the barkentine Klikitat, for Port Blakeley, sailed therefrom.

The scow being built on Turpel's ways for the conveyance of the city's garbage to sea will be completed about the middle of this week.

Schooner Victoria was launched from Turpel's ways at noon yesterday, having been put in good trim for next season's sealing.

The steamer Daisy towed in a scow with lumber from Chemainus yesterday evening.

The T. W. Carter arrived from Vancouver last night with a scow load of shingle bolts.

Steamer Cariboo and Fly sailed for Northern ports last evening with a small freight.

A large bark in ballast arrived at Vancouver yesterday for a load of lumber.

The Chilian bark Estella is on berth at Callao for British Columbia.

Steamer Romulus cleared at San Francisco for Nanaimo yesterday.

The steamer Alert is down from Nanaimo with coal.

ENTERED.

Str. Islander	from	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Joan	"	Nanaimo.
" Yosemite	"	Westminster.
" Island Belle	"	Roche Harbor.

CLEARED.

Str. Islander	for	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Joan	"	Nanaimo.
" Yosemite	"	Westminster.
" Island Belle	"	Roche Harbor.

The Mexican Massacre.

CITY OF MEXICO, Nov. 5.—Col. Ramerieze, who bore the brunt of the fight in Tomaschico, says the affair was greatly exaggerated. It is true the Indians fought heroically, but their force did not exceed ninety men, intrenched in a church. They held the troops at bay, but were obliged to flee. Many crossed the border Sixty Tomaschico Indians are in Guerrere receiving kindly treatment by order of President Diaz. The Indians express a desire to submit to the Government.

Not a Wreck.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—The ship Sir Robert Ferie, which went ashore yesterday at Gravesend, has been pulled off and has proceeded on her way to this port.

New Mantles and Capes

Just opened at The White House—The largest stock to select from we have ever had—on view this week. Henry Young & Co.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

REDFERN FASHIONS

"A Thing of Beauty is a Joy Forever," But you Can't Expect It to Talk.

The Girl Who Talks—Dinner as a Means of Pumping a Woman.

NEW YORK, Oct., 1892.—There is probably no man in New York at the present time who has not passed through the pleasant and expensive experience of taking a lady out to dinner. She may be his type writer (but more probably she is some other man's, as "too much familiarity breedeth contempt") or a swell shop girl, or she may be an actress whom he is temporarily smitten with, or she may be a lady whom he is taking about as his affianced wife, with nothing sub rosa about it, or she may be one of the parties in a Platonic friendship of which the man is the other party.

As it is well known that "stolen kisses taste the sweetest," it is quite unnecessary to say that dining out with the girl whom you would not introduce at home is probably more pleasurable than with the girl whom your family have known from infancy.

If you are a practical nature and a bit of a philanthropist you will prefer to take out a girl who does not care to disguise the fact that she has an appetite, a girl who does not fare sumptuously every day. You will prefer the girl whose appetite is occasionally sharpened by real hunger, for you will feel that your generosity is not being wasted. But this will not be enough for you, a good appetite is a pleasant thing to contemplate, but it is not enough to spend a whole evening with. There never was a man—I am not including the saints—who took girls out to dinner for nothing. Sometimes it is for love they do it, sometimes it is for show they do it, sometimes for amusement, sometimes it is part of a scheme.

To those who are in love, the dinner is a small and insignificant detail as long as they are near enough to speak low and look into each other's eyes, the menu is merely a printed card containing little of interest to them. But it is not of these that I write.

When it is a mere matter of show it is a more difficult thing to understand. But there are many strange things in life, and one of the strangest is the man who willingly dines with a handsomely dressed dummy. She sweeps into the restaurant, there is a rustle of silk, and a soft swish of velvet, a waft of some delicate perfume, and the obsequious waiter bows low, as he pulls out her chair and slavishly removes her wraps. Unwrapped she shows a superb figure and a beautiful face, and the removal of her gloves shows white fingers tapering beautifully and with diamonds flashing constantly. The man who is acting as cavalier to all this splendor cannot expect it to be entertaining as well as beautiful—at any rate if he

This gown of cedar colored vicuna, braided with silver, shows particularly the sleeve that is most fashionable just now. They are large and full at the top, not standing high. The sleeves and vest are composed of shot brown and green velvet.

does he is disappointed. She makes a pretty tolerable dinner, and is very self possessed under the stares of every man in the room, but a short hand writer taking down their conversation would have an easy task.

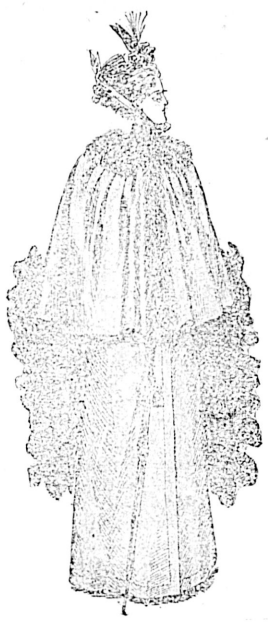
When a girl is taken out as an amusement she is generally a good talker, and either a high spirited girl, or a clever married woman. She is sometimes amusing because she tries to be, and because, practically speaking her next dinner depends on it; sometimes because she can't help it. The last type is the best company. She is generally good looking. Mental qualities alone are seldom satisfying to a man, but at any rate she has to be very, very clever if she is undeniably ugly.

I once took out a tall, fine, dashing girl, who cleverly assumed the manners of an ingenue, and with great success. I knew that she was acting, but I had to confess to myself that it was very good acting. Dining out at expensive restaurants with infatuated men could have been no experience to her, but she kept up the manner of child like enjoyment through it all.

I have not mentioned the kind of girl who listens, because she is so extremely rare, and partly because I prefer to hear a girl talk to talking myself; so that I don't really know this type, but of course to some men it must be invaluable.

When the Platonic pair go out they generally enjoy themselves, or the one who is really Platonic does. There never was a so-called Platonic pair where both were free from any warmer feeling than what the name suggests. But when a pair go out as brother and sister, they behave as such, only more so. Their talk is free and unrestrained, and their opinions are exchanged with many jokes and pleasantries.

There are cases when girls have been taken out merely as a means of finding things out. A good dinner, sparkling wines, music, compliments, flowers and kisses, have been used as a sprat to catch a mackerel on many occasions. A good dinner is supposed to have its peculiar influence on men, and no man who has any tact will dare to suggest to a lady before dinner that food has an equal influ-



A travelling cloak is a thing that is always useful. Here is one which is made of the new reversible cloth and trimmed with bear. It has a large collar of the fur, and an ample pleated cape.

ence on her. But if the way to a man's heart is through his stomach, the way to a woman's secrets is something the same kind of a route. Many a precious secret has been worked out of a weak woman by the means of a good dinner, a few compliments—and a clever scheming man!

A word about evening gowns before anything else. They really will be old fashioned—quite old fashioned. Redfern has just now in his salon a gown which any beauty might have worn at any of the salons of the first Empire. It is real undeniable Empire. Rich old gold colored velvet is used as a sort of festoon to drape yet reveal the outline on the bust. Thick lace falls from this, very full over the shoulders to form a berthe, and the shoulders are covered with a yoke of the lace over satin. The lace of finest point de rose just gives glimpses of the gold colored satin underneath. The rest of the gown is made of a large stately patterned satin, as full of old world colors as an old fashioned country garden. When the extremely modern young saleswoman put this rare gown on so that I might see the effect, I was surprised to see the change which it made in her appearance. She was transformed from a Miss somebody into a Lady Bettina or a Madame de Stael. As for the Empire cloaks, well they are just as quaint, but will take more moral courage to wear as the unknown public outdoors is franker in its stares than the polite circle in the house. But if a woman has the courage to assume one she will be well repaid for the trouble. The yoke admits of much decoration and the stately folds that hang from it give height. One large puff forms the heading of the sleeve and this is made close and delicately wrinkled at the wrist.

Most of the coats and cloaks are trimmed with cub bear, or black fox. The seam from collar to sleeve is lengthening noticeably every day.

LE BARON DE BREMONT.

A Severe Winter.

It is predicted that the coming winter will be a severe one. Protect yourself from the cold by wearing a Chamois Jacket. Cochrane & Munn, druggists, have a complete line of Chamois Skins at reasonable prices. Corner Yates and Douglas streets. w-f-su

IMPERIAL BAKING POWDER Cream Tartar
PUREST, STRONGEST, BEST.

NOTICES.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction on Tuesday, the 15th day of November, 1892, at 12 o'clock noon, at the auction rooms of Mr. George Byrnes, No. 18, Fort street, in the City of Victoria, the following valuable property described, as:—All that piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Victoria and known and numbered as part of Block L, Section seventy-six (76), containing two 15/100 acres, more or less, as the same is more particularly shown on a plan annexed to a certain Indenture of Conveyance made the 16th day of March, 1891, and registered in the Land Registry Office the 16th day of April, 1891, in Absolute Fees Book, Vol. 12, Folio 419, as No. 17310; which conveyance will also be produced at the time of sale.

A modern two story frame house, together with stable and other outbuildings, is situate on the above described land.

The principal sum due upon the said mortgage is six thousand two hundred dollars.

The sum of six thousand four hundred and forty-eight dollars and upwards is now due and in arrears upon the said mortgage for principal and interest.

The said land is also subject to a second mortgage for the sum of eight hundred dollars and interest thereon, with interest now in arrears; the total sum payable thereunder is the sum of eight hundred and thirty-two dollars and upwards.

By reason of the default of payment of the said mortgage and under and by virtue of the power therein contained, the said land will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the date, time and place aforesaid, and when sold and conditions of sale complied with, the land and premises will be conveyed unto the purchaser or purchasers thereof.

The Vendor shall not be required to produce any title deeds or muniments of title other than those in his possession.

Terms of sale, cash. Ten per cent. of the purchase money is to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance as provided in the conditions of sale.

The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

For information as to the conditions of sale and all other particulars, apply to,

McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD, of No. 6, Broughton Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the Vendor.

Dated this 12th day of October, 1892. oc13

Sheriff's Sale of Lands.

Notice is hereby given that the sale of the lands of Mary Claxton Heathorn, advertised to take place on Thursday, the 15th day of September, instant, and postponed from that day until Monday, the 26th September, instant, for want of bidders, is still further postponed until

Thursday, 24th day of November, 1892,

At the hour of 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Sheriff's Office, Bastion street, Victoria.

se25 J. E. McMILLAN, Sheriff.

Administrator's Notice.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the matter of the Estate of Thomas McConnan, deceased, and in the matter of the "Official Administrators' Act."

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Crease, bearing date the 11th day of October, A. D. 1892, I was appointed administrator of all and singular the personal estate, chattels and credits of Thomas McConnan, late of the City of Victoria, deceased intestate.

Persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased are requested to send me particulars thereof on or before the 11th day of January, A. D. 1893, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH, Official Administrator.

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HAGYARD'S "YELLOW OIL" Cures Rheumatism.

Freeman's Worm Powders

Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure and effectual destroyer of worms in Children or Adults.

RHEUMATISM CURE.

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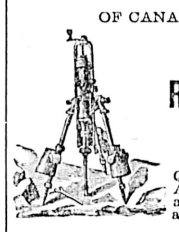

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned trading as "HOOSON, TAYLOR & CO" at Saturna Island, B.C., as quarry proprietors has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, G. G. Taylor retiring from the firm. The said business will be carried on from this date by the undersigned William Hooson, Evan Hooson and John Edward Hooson, under the firm name of "HOOSON & SONS" who will collect all debts and discharge all liabilities on account of the late firm of "HOOSON, TAYLOR & CO."

Dated at Saturna Island this 9th day of September, 1892

(Sg'd.) WM. HOOSON.
(Sg'd.) JOHN EDWARD HOOSON.
(Sg'd.) EVAN HOOSON.
(Sg'd.) G. G. TAYLOR.

Witness to the signatures of William Hooson and John Edward Hooson. (Sgd.) A. D. WELSTEAD, Saturna Island, B. C.

Witness to the signatures of Evan Hooson and G. G. Taylor. (Sgd.) A. J. WEAVER BRIDGMAN, Victoria, B. C. se16

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, doing business at No. 86 Government st., Victoria, B. C., under the name and style of the Canadian and Oriental Trading Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the late firm will be paid to N. E. Reinhardt, who will pay all liabilities.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 25th day of October, A. D., 1892.

N. E. REINHARDT.
oc26 HAROLDT AULT.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing between Maynard Havelock Cowan and William Wilson as wholesale grocers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent as from the 15th of September last, Maynard Havelock Cowan retiring from the firm.

The business will be carried on from this date by and in the name of Wilson Brothers, who will collect all debts and discharge all liabilities of the late firm of Cowan & Wilson.

October 28, 1892.

J. E. WILSON. WM. WILSON.
Witness. M. H. COWAN.
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The Colonist.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1892.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, Nov. 6, 1892.

Sun rises.....6.55 a.m. | Sun sets.....4.32 p.m.
Moon rises 5.10 p.m.

Day of the year, 311th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, Nov. 5, 1892.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p. m.

1 a. m.,	49°	Mean 49°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m.,	49°		5 a.m—29 W.
9 a. m.,	49°	Highest 53°	1 p.m—22 S.W.
1 p. m.,	53°		9 p.m—4 S.W.
5 p. m.,	49°	Lowest 46°	
9 p. m.,	46°		

Rain—.03.

Average state of weather—Fair.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—S G Andover and wife, N D McAuley, T Gill, E H Pierce, W W Miller, E La Bonte, D T Campbell, B D Palmer, F M Terry, F Nerwood, H B George, John Miller and wife, Miss Hastings, A Gilmore, D Mansing, C Marston, Mrs Palmer, J Clarke, C F Goodale, W G Page, Mrs Olsen, H Huggins, Joe White, H Cromwell, Miss Gurney, A Thyng, L A Newsom, M Sullivan, Wm Martin, Thos Houghton, S Bardley, Mrs Rice, E E Ainsworth, Mrs Newsom, W E Geiger.

Per steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver—Capt H G Lewis, J W Pillock, A McDougall, Thos Hooper, H J Chapman, A R Wolfenden, Wm Shannon, Dr Graham, T W Clemis, A L Campbell and wife, Mrs McDonald, Mrs Rockett, R R Bayne, F Angus, C H Morris, Robt Wood, G Bains, H J Hanson, C J Fagan, Miss McKibb, H B Smith, J G Tiarks, C J Soule, G S Harris, W F Topping, C Doering, G R Packing, R Milne, Miss Hanson.

CONSIGNEES.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—Young & Co, J H Todd & Son, Taylor M Co, H Mansell, Hutchins & Co, P I Johnston & Co, Turner, B & Co, Fred Allen, S Leiser, Cowan & W, Sehl H E F Co, E & N R R Co, C H Stickles, R B McMicking, Union Ice Co.

Per steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver—Martin & R, A N Vowell, S H E F Co, T Earle, C E Stevenson, H Bornstein, J H Todd, S Leiser, J Meston, J Lake, W & J Wilson, S Shore, W J Jeffrey, B Williams, W Armstrong, Geo Morrison, B Gordon, W Wilby, Dean & Cryderman, Ellis & Co, A A Burow, A H Co, B, T & King, E H Hill, H Saunders, Lenz & Leiser, McL & McF, Redon & H, R W Higginbotham, T S Futcher, Wilson Bros, Miss Simpson, Dom Exp Co.

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BISMARCK'S OPINIONS.

The Ex-Chancellor Denies That He Planned War With France—The Army Bill.

LEPSIC, Nov. 4.—Dr. Blum recently had a long interview with Prince Bismarck at Varzin, an account of which was published in the Neueste Nachrichten, of this city. Prince Bismarck spoke at length of the new military bill and Germany's relations with France and Russia. He denied that he planned to attack France in 1875, contending that, on the contrary, he had persuaded Emperor William to forbid the general staff, and especially Count Von Moltke, who were anxious to provoke war, to interfere with foreign politics. The ex-chancellor dissented entirely from the Government's support of the military bill. He said he thought the German army quite strong enough to face even war on two frontiers. He believes that neither France nor Russia desires war, and that no war is likely to break out, at least for years to come. Moreover, said the Prince, victory rests with that power which wins the first few battles, and those battles will be fought not with millions of men but with a few hundred thousand. "The main thing," he continued, "is that they be well led. The new military bill has the greatest defect in its inadequate provision for commissioned and non-commissioned officers." He condemned the proposal to retain the third year of service solely for men who incurred penalties, believing that this provision would destroy all respect for the third year plan. He quoted Emperor William I., Count Von Moltke and Gen. Von Roon as against the two years system. He thought the best thing the Reichstag could do was not to reject the bill as a whole, but to declare itself ready to remedy the real defects when the Government has showed how to cover the increased expense. With regard to Russia, Prince Bismarck said that only the newspapers, Poles and Jews desired war between the Russians and Germans.

UNDER WAY.—"Some of you," says Orator Ham, of Georgia, "remind me of Johnny Bizirn, who undertook to break a yearling, and to make sure he did not get away, tied the rope around his waist. The breaking process angered the yearling, and he split a crack in the atmosphere toward the swamp. John only hit the ground in the high places. In their mad career, they passed a neighbor, who yelled to John: "Where are you going?" "D——d if I know," he replied, as he sailed through the air; "ask the bull."

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FORGET-ME-NOT.

Famous Jeffreys Lewis to Greet Victorians To-Morrow Evening.

To-morrow evening Victoria theatre-goers will have an opportunity of seeing that sterling actress, Jeffreys Lewis, in the great society drama "Forget-me-not." Miss Lewis needs no introduction to the Victoria public. As Stephanie, in "Forget-me-not," she is nearly without a peer on the English-speaking stage. She masters the part in every detail, being transformed into a she-devil, with the heart of a fiend

and the face and form of a Hebe. The supporting company is pronounced unusually strong, having won encomiums everywhere during her present tour. The ladies will, no doubt, be greatly interested in the costumes of the lady members of the company, as they were brought over by Miss Lewis, in June, from the great Worth, of Paris. "Forget-me-not" will be magnificently staged, and, no doubt, will be a great production. Tuesday evening's performance will be Belasco's famous "La Belle Russe," Jeffreys Lewis appearing in her original character of "Geraldine." As the beautiful adventuress, Jeffreys Lewis holds the audience spell-bound. Capt. Dudley Brand will be enacted by Harry Mainhall, a rising young actor.

IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

What Mr. George R. Parkin Has to Say on This Interesting Topic.

(From the News-Advertiser.)

Mr. George R. Parkin is staying at the Hotel Vancouver. For the past few years he has given his time and attention to literary pursuits, chiefly in connection with Imperial Federation, to which he has devoted himself. With the object of furthering that movement he passed through Vancouver four years ago and addressed a large meeting here. From Vancouver he went to Australia, travelling through every colony of that vast island, lecturing. In that way he was able to judge very well the sentiments of the people towards his theory. He found in New Zealand, Tasmania, and throughout Australia a growing spirit in favor of closer union with the other parts of the Empire. The three years following that were devoted to the writing of two books, which have just been published, containing facts collated in such a way as best to turn men's attention to the desirability of a united Empire. One of these, a small volume intended as a text book for schools, gives interesting facts regarding every part of the British Empire. The title is "Around the Empire," which very well betokens the matter within. Vancouver and the place taken by the C.P.R. in forming a means of transit from one part to the other forms an important part. Lord Roseberry has written a preface in a style that has drawn considerable attention to the little volume. Though published about the first of May, the edition has reached the fifteenth thousand. The other work, "Imperial Federation," is much larger and deals more fully with the question. Mr. Parkin's bent is toward practical matters. His business is not to shoot off fireworks but to disseminate information. He has, under the appointment of the Imperial Federation League, addressed every Chamber of Commerce in any town of importance in England, North Ireland and Scotland. Speak- of his visit to Canada, Mr. Parkin said he wanted to study the sentiments of the people and the progress that had been made since last he passed through the country. He came rather rapidly through Eastern Canada that he might spend four weeks upon the North West and Manitoba, with the view chiefly of ascertaining the capabilities of those points as a wheat producing country. What he saw was very gratifying to him. The progress made during the past four years was wonderful indeed—everywhere there were signs of steady progress. At Edmonton and vicinity could be seen the effects of the return of Canadians from Dakota and other parts of the United States.

Mr. Parkin retains connection with several English journals and the result of his observations in Canada will appear in the columns of some of them. Comparing Canada with other parts of the British Empire Mr. Parkin thinks the people of Canada less enterprising and far reaching in their efforts to obtain commerce and trade than Australia and New Zealand. There are vast resources he sees on every side that have not been made the best of. He ventured the opinion that people were wasting their time on questions of theory and public policy which would better be engaged in more practical ends. Among the matters he will give more particular attention to is the defence of the coasts, where they would form part of the Imperial union, the extent of the food supply and the facilities of the C.P.R. for the transportation of troops. He will visit the coal mines in Canada to see where the fuel supplies are stored and the facilities for moving them rapidly.

Drink Phoenix Lager Beer.

SOUTH AMERICA.

What is Doing in Brazil, Chili, Uruguay and Other of the States.

The Discontented Republics Still Disquited and Disinclined to Peaceful Conquests.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The Herald correspondent at Buenos Ayres states that General Rocahas told the Government that unless support was given to Governor Rojas a civil war would begin in all the interior provinces. A dispatch from Santiago D'Estro states that the Federal Interventer has accepted the resignation of the legislature, retaining those favorable to Rojas.

In reference to the statements cabled to Europe from Buenos Ayres, that a revolution was likely to occur in Chili, your correspondent is authorized to say that there is not the least truth in the rumor. Chili is absolutely quiet. Her financial outlook is bright and her prospects are encouraging. The only semblance of trouble was the railroad strikes, which are now ended. It has been definitely ascertained that the strikers were incited by Balmaceda's friends and that the reports given to the Argentine papers emanated from the same source.

A dispatch from Montevideo states that the percentage of customs duties assigned to pay the foreign debt coupons was not sufficient, and the Government had been forced to use other funds. The collapse of the French loan places the Government in a critical situation, and wild rumors of trouble already exist.

THE INTERIOR'S PROGRESS.

Observations by a Disinterested Visitor—A Judge on Jurymen's Fees.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER, Nov. 5.—J. D. Breeze, District Manager of the Confederation Life, has returned from a trip through the Kootenay, Okanagan, Osoyoos and Cariboo districts. The information received through him is important, as Mr. Breeze is a perspicuous observer, and imparts information with a strict regard for truth, not always observable in the returned traveller from the gold lands. Mr. Breeze has been through the mill and knows better than to "talk through his hat." Kaslo, he says, is booming, but at the moment Nelson is rather quiet. The community are waiting for the sale of the Silver King. In the Okanagan district the crops are exceedingly good, which of course makes general business good also. Okanagan is in a healthy growing state.

In Cariboo matters are not exactly at a standstill. There is a very quiet forward movement, but the country is being settled up very slowly. Mr. Breeze expresses himself as being impressed with British Columbia's invaluable birth right. What he has seen, and what he has gathered from reliable sources, convinces him that in the natural course of events the three sister cities will rapidly progress in size, wealth and mercantile importance for generations to come. Mr. Breeze was at the Vernon hotel when the consummation of the sale of the Rattler mine took place. The Rattler free milling ore was owned by seven partners. There arose trouble among themselves, then exhaustive litigation, and they wisely decided to sell out to Mr. Attwood, agent of an English syndicate, $50,000 being paid them in cold cash in a little back room in Mr. Meekin's (Vernon) hotel. They divided the sum among them, and walked away satisfied, though the mine was worth a good deal more than the syndicate paid for it.

Mr. A. E. Beck's appointment as registrar of the new judicial district of Vancouver meets with approval here. Mr. Beck is highly esteemed for his many excellent social and business qualities.

There were three newspapermen pressed into jury service at the County Court yesterday. In a jury of five the News-Advertiser, Telegram and COLONIST were represented. Judge Bole, whose keen sense of humor ever tends to dispel the mental depression occasioned to the ordinary every day juryman by the dry ponderosity of legal argument, took occasion to remark that he was pleased that he had the opportunity of addressing the two greatest powers on earth—the jury and the press. As newspapermen he would suggest to them the importance of having jury fees raised. He hoped they would use their great influence in that direction. As jurymen he was sure they could appreciate his remarks better when they were tendered the customary dollar for their valuable services.

McMahon's circus refused to pay $200 city license, and left the city without giving a performance.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Benwell arrived here from San Francisco, Mr. Benwell having been transferred again to the Vancouver branch of the Bank of British North America, where he will occupy his old position of teller.

PARTY PRETENSIONS.

A Few "Last" Words From Both Republicans and Democrats on the Eve of the Election.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The Republican National Committee last night issued an address to the public stating that the instructions from Washington regarding the employment at the polls of United States marshals is causing consternation in the Tammany camp. The Committee express the belief that with proper precautions a fair election can be had in this city, and warn the people against sensational last cards from Democratic sources in which that party will claim certain success in all the doubtful States. The Committee closed with the assurance of the election of Messrs. Harrison and Reid by a constitutional majority.

The Democratic National committee also issued an address to-night in which a call is made upon all to labor without ceasing for the election of Messrs. Cleveland and Stevenson. The address says that the continuation of a system of war taxes has changed the conditions of life in this country; that wealth has centred in the hands of a few who, with enormous fortunes, control and use the Government by methods of the intimidation of workmen and the corrupt use of money. The committee also calls attention to the furtherance of "iniquitous plans for controlling Federal elections," by the threatened Force Bill. The address says that the people of the State of New York, the farmers of Indiana, the yeomanry of New Jersey, the farmers of Connecticut and the people of Delaware and West Virginia will remember their wrongs at the polls in November and thus teach a lesson to those who would attempt to defeat their will by bribery, intimidation and corruption.

IMPORTANT RUMOR.

The French Atlantic Cable Said to Have Been Acquired by New York Newspaper Proprietors.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5. — The "Stockholder" reports, on the authority of a well-known banker, that Joseph Pulitzer, John W. Mackay and James Gordon Bennett have purchased the control of the French Atlantic Cable Co. and also made an arrangement to control the lines of the new Long Distance Telephone company. The officials of the Commercial and French Cable say they know of no such negotiations or contract.

HOSTILE APACHES.

They are Bolder Than Ever—Mexican Soldiers Ambushed and Defeated.

DEMING, N. M., Nov. 5.—A courier from Los Patonier, Mexico, brings news that Apaches, under the lead of the "Kid," are on the warpath and bolder than ever. Their latest exploit was to ambush 50 Mexican soldiers in the Sierra Madre mountains, on Tuesday last. Capt. Dorantes and Lieut. Garcia were killed at the first fire, and a number of soldiers were wounded. The Apaches then returned to the mountains, having sustained no loss whatever.

THE POPE.

He Is Very Dangerously Ill, and Fears are Entertained for His Life.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—A dispatch from Rome to the Pall Mall Gazette says that the Pope is very ill. A few days ago he was found unconscious in his room. His condition caused a panic in the Vatican. He is very feeble, and faints easily.

Ladies' Waterproof Cloaks

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Scrofula in the Neck

The following is from Mrs. J. W. Tillbrook, wife of the Mayor of McKeesport, Penn.:

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Prices, 50c. and $1. Seats now selling at Jamieson's. no2-6t

THANKSGIVING - DINNER.

TUESDAY, NOV. 8, 1892.

The ladies of the James Bay Methodist Church, intend giving a Thanksgiving Dinner in the church.
Dinner will be served at 6:30 p. m.
TICKETS, - 50 CENTS.
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Second Annual Grand Masquerade Ball

Under the auspices of Milton Lodge, Sons of St. George, will be held at the Assembly Hall, Fort street, FRIDAY, NOV. 18, 1892. Tickets, including lady and gentleman, $1.50; single ladies, 50c. Four handsome prizes will be given. For further particulars see posters.
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A. ST. G. FLINT,
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